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LANE GENEALOGIES.

VOLUME III.

ENGLISH FAMILY,

RICKMANSWORTH, HERTFORDSHIRE, 1542-1758.

JOB LANE,

MALDEN, MASS., 1649.

JAMES LANE,

CASCO BAY, MAINE, 1650.

EDWARD LANE,

BOSTON, MASS., 1657.

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JAMES HILL FITTS.

THIS Volume III of Lane Genealogies contains the last work of Rev. J. H. Fitts. The body of the book was complete and in the hands of the printer. Mr. Fitts, on finishing the copy of an index, laid down his pen to go to the post office for his mail. Returning, a near neighbor setting some rare hedge plants, asked him to cross the street and see them. He handed the label with the name of the plants to Mr. Fitts, who read it aloud, returned it and at once fell forward lifeless, his face in the soft earth, Novemember 22, 1900. The cause of his death was heart disease, of which he had had some premonitions, but with no thought of such a termination.

The Preface, toward which Mr. Fitts left notes, has been prepared by Alfred Church Lane, A. M., Ph. D., F. G. S. A., of Lansing, Michigan. The Annals, etc., have been arranged and completed by his brother, Lucius Page Lane, S. B., A. M., of Boston, who has also completed the indexes, by the aid of Miss Ellen W. Lane, and her sister, Elizabeth Nickerson (Lane) Church, of Malden, Mass. It remains for an old friend to add a notice of Mr. Fitts, especially in relation to his genealogical work, as a fuller general memorial of him is in preparation.

Rev. James Hill Fitts was born in Candia, N. H., March 3, 1829, of John, the 7th generation from Robert Fitts, 1640, and Abigail Lane, the 6th, from William Lane, of Boston, 1648.* He attended Pembroke Academy and Merrimack Normal Institute, N. H., and graduated at Bangor Theological Seminary, Me., 1858, and was a member of Andover Theological Seminary, 1870–71. He preached at Boxboro, Mass.; was ordained at Candia, N. H., November 2, 1859; installed at West Boylston, Mass., September 3, 1862; Topsfield, Mass., June 22, 1871; acting pastor at South Newmarket, now Newfields, N. H., April 18, 1880, till his death.

*See Gen. Fitts family, p. 23, and Lane Gen., Vol. I, p. 175.

January 1, 1862, he married Mary C., daughter of C. M. and Dolly (Pillsbury) French, who survives him. Before study at Bangor he taught in schools and academy in Maine and Massachusetts, served two terms of three months each on the Christian Commission in the civil war, and was on school boards wherever he was pastor. As one of the School Board, Mr. Fitts wrote the annual reports, and the esteem felt for him was manifested by the attendance on his funeral at his church in Newfields, of the schools as a body, and their provision for his picture to be placed in the school building. In 1895 Mr. Fitts represented the town in the state legislature, and was influential in changing its name from South Newmarket to Newfields, the early designation of the southerly portion of the town of Newmarket a century or more before its division. This change was influenced by a legacy of $10,000 from Hon. John M. Brodhead, son of Rev. John Brodhead, to the town for a library on condition of such change. Mr. Fitts was a trustee of this fund. He was a member of the New England Historic-Genealogical and the New Hampshire Historical Societies, and of several missionary societies, and for thirteen years was scribe of the Piscataqua Association of Congregational and Presbyterian ministers. A writer of various historical and commemorative discourses, and an indefatigable investigator and successful collector of the facts of local history, perhaps no one man ever knew so much of the local history of south-eastern New Hampshire and contiguous parts of Massachusetts and Maine as did Mr. Fitts. It is hoped that the mass of manuscript information he left may be given to the public or preserved for future use. In the course of his researches he took genealogical notes of the Hilton, Wiggin and other historical families of south-eastern New Hampshire, which are esteemed of great value by some of their descendants and kindred.

His first formal work in this line he published in 1869, the "Genealogy of the Fitts or Fitz Family in America," 91 pages. His later and larger efforts have been for the Lane families of his mother's name. He aided Rev. Jacob Chapman materially in the preparation of Vol I, and Mr. Chapman did what he could to aid and encourage Mr. Fitts in compiling the succeeding volumes of Lane Genealogies.

These works were doubtless stimulated and their publication encouraged by the prevalent popularity of genealogical research, but the immediate cause of Vol. I, and so of the rest, was a suggestion by Mr. Fitts toward organization.

The occasion of that suggestion was in the old church yard at Stratham, N. H., where are the graves of Dea. Samuel Lane, the eldest child of Dea. Joshua, of Hampton, and representatives of five generations of his descendants. When Jabez, the youngest son of Dea. Samuel, had set the stones at the graves of his parents, he took his children there and charged them to keep those stones erect as long as they should live. His son Charles told his son, John William, of this, who took it as an injunction to do likewise, and was impelled to search for the older graves of the family at Hampton and perhaps Boston. No clew could be found for the graves of the first William and wives, probably in Boston. But search in Hampton among the bushes of the old "graveyard" revealed a foot-stone inscribed "Dea. Joshua Lane." Proceeding through the bushes the headstone was found erect, but the headstone of his wife, Bathsheba, was broken and lying on the ground. Dea. Dow, the historian of Hampton, was the only one found who could have told where those graves were. John W. took his father, Charles, when past eighty, to see for the first time, the graves of his great grandparents, and they temporarily reset the head stones, both thrown flat on the ground, it was said, by cattle running in the yard. The idea of a more permanent memorial was suggested, but how to interest descendants was a question. After discouraging efforts and considerable correspondence, beginning in 1876, Mr. Fitts was consulted, who wrote, March 16, 1885: "I think the matter of a Lane monument has been talked of in a general way about long enough. Get specifications of monument with inscriptions as a basis of work. A meeting of the family at Hampton, whether a dozen or a hundred attend, will give it something of a business character. You have made an heroic beginning. Go ahead!"

Further search in the old ground had shown some initial head stones near Dea. Joshua's grave. The one next north was imbedded in the grown roots of a pine tree some eighteen inches in diameter, letters inward. The second stone bore the initials, "W. L." In a

diary of Dea. Joshua, was found for 6th January, 1745, "My honored and dear mother died," and for 14th February, 1747, "My honored father died at my house, aged above ninety." It was thought if on the broken stone in the pine tree should be found the initials, "S. L.," these graves next his own must be of the parents of Dea. Joshua: William, son of William, of Boston, and Sarah (Webster), his wife. A petition to the selectmen of Hampton resulted in an article in the warrant and a vote of the town, March 10, 1885, permitting the tree to be taken out and a monument erected. The tree was dug out; the fragments of stone carefully removed and placed together showed the desired "S. L." To this, in part, Mr. Fitts referred as "an heroic beginning." The meeting he suggested was called at the Town Hall, in Hampton, August 18, 1885. Organization was effected and committees were chosen as suggested by Mr. Fitts. Plans were made to raise funds for the monument. Relics of the family were shown, including the broken initial stone, with its "S. L.," the family tree of Dea. Joshua, and an original copy of the "Tear of Lamentation," read at Dea. Joshua's funeral, by his son Jeremiah, once owned by his daughter Abigail. By the generosity of Dr. J. W. White, of Nashua, N. H., it was voted that this address be reprinted and a copy given to every contributor of $1 or more to the monument fund. The sons of Rev. Jas. P. Lane did the printing, as they did of the address of their father, given September 1, 1886, when Gov. Frederick Smyth was present, by whose generosity this address was also given to contributors of $1 or more to the monument fund. Thus donations came from Maine to Georgia and California, and one each from England and the Sandwich Islands.

George W. Lane, of Salem, was treasurer of this fund, and reported $479 received, and $60.22 allowed by him as interest while collecting—in all, $539.22. The monument of Quincy granite cost $397.52; plan, lettering, labor, posts, markers and foundation, cost $101.70, leaving $40 unexpended. It was not ready for dedication, as expected, at the 250th anniversary of Hampton, to which the Lane meeting came on the invitation of the town. It was hoped there would be $100 for the town of Hampton, whose annual interest should pay for the care of the lot, but it was

LANE MONUMENT, HAMPTON, N. H.

voted to apply this surplus toward completing and printing the Lane Genealogy, begun by Dea. E. J. Lane, of Dover, N. H., in 1839, and continued by Rev. James P. Lane, till his death January 6, 1889. At the fifth annual meeting for the dedication of the monument, August 14, 1889, Mr. Fitts made the principal address. He was chosen with George W. Lane, of Salem, Mass., Dr. E. B. Lane, of Boston, and Rev. John W. Lane as a committee to see to the completion and printing of the genealogy, which committee also became responsible for its cost. Rev. Jacob Chapman, of Exeter, N. H., undertook the work, as is recorded in his Preface to Volume I.

Rev. Mr. Chapman, Mr. Fitts, J. P. and J. W. Lane deliberated long in mutual correspondence on the simplest, most comprehensive and best form for inscriptions on the monument, especially the general one on the south end. All agreed on this, toward which J. P. Lane had the last word:

To the Memory of
A Worthy Ancestry
By Descendants
And Kindred
1888
The Town of Hampton
By Vote
Consenting
March 10, 1885.

The inscription on the north end gives all the known dates of the first William, viz.:

William Lane
In Boston 1650
Made Freeman, May 6, 1657
His wife Mary ——
Died May 22, 1656
3 children

His wife Mary Brewer
Mar. Aug. 21, 1656
4 children.

On the east side on the right and over their graves is the inscription to William Lane, of Hampton, and wife, and on the left the inscription to Dea. Joshua Lane and wife.

Dea. Joshua Lane	William Lane
June 6, 1696	Oct. 1, 1659
was killed by lightning	Came to Hampton, 1685
June 14, 1766	Feb. 14, 1749
His wife	His wife
Bathsheba Robie	Sarah Webster
Aug. 2, 1696	Jan. 22, 1660
Apr. 13, 1765	Jan. 5, 1745
16 children.	7 children.

On the west side are the names, year dates and places of residence of the sixteen children. The picture shows the east side and south end.

My first acquaintance with Mr. Fitts was as a fellow student at Merrimack Normal Institute, N. H., in 1850, when neither of us knew that we were of the seventh generation from William Lane, of Boston, 1648. This friendship matured on Mr. Fitts' coming, in part by my influence, to my native Newfields, since which we have been in frequent correspondence. It has been a source of satisfaction to aid and encourage Mr. Fitts in his unselfish efforts to introduce our relatives and kindred to each other, but for all I could do I have felt in debt to him. I miss him as a brother beloved. In my gratitude for his life, many whose records are in these volumes will share.

And when we think of the Christian integrity he so fondly traced in our progenitors, I am confident we shall agree that he might have used the language of the Hampton monument and dedicated this book

TO THE MEMORY OF A WORTHY ANCESTRY.

JOHN WM. LANE.

HADLEY, MASS., July 24, 1901.

PREFACE.

THE first two volumes of Lane genealogies brought together accounts of the descendants of nine of the name who reached the New World in colonial times. As Rev. James Pillsbury Lane has remarked, there were over a dozen of them, and it has seemed wise to close this, the third, volume with Rev. Mr. Fitts' account of three more, who were of the same English stock, leaving to some other hands the task of building into further volumes the mass of notes which Mr. Fitts had accumulated regarding other Lanes; in particular, the families of Sampson Lane, of Portsmouth, N. H., 1646, and his kinsman, Ambrose; James Lane, of Boston, 1662; Nehemiah Lane of Lunenburg, Mass., 1728; John Layne, of Lee, N. H., 1760; Alexander Lane, of Fishkill-on-the-Hudson, N. Y., about 1700; Matthias Lane, of Bedminster, N. J., 1721; Ebenezer Lane, of Western Virginia, 1770; Amos Lane, of Lawrenceburgh, Indiana, 1808, father of Gen. James Henry Lane, of Kansas; James Asa Lane (of Ohio?), 1781; and the Lane family of Bristol, Maine, 1836; and that of colonial Virginia and North Carolina, connected according to tradition with Sir Ralph Lane, Knight, Governor of Virginia, 1585, including Elliot T. Lane, of Mercersburg, father of Miss Harriet Lane, of the White House; James Hardage Lane, grandfather of Gov. Henry Smith Lane, of Indiana, and Joseph Lane, of Halifax, N. C., 1727, father of Col. Joel Lane, the pioneer, and grandfather of Gen. Joseph Lane, Governor of Oregon; as well as additional material relative to families included in Volumes I and II; that is, those of William Lane, of Boston, Mass., 1648; William Lane, of Dorchester, Mass., 1635; Robert Lane, of Stratford, Conn., 1660; and Cornelius Lane, of Middletown, Conn., 1744, Somerset county, N. J., 175–, and Albany, N. Y.

It is far from safe, in the case of so common a name, to assume that all Lanes are of the same family, or that because one Lane,

whose name was inscribed on the roll of Battell Abbey, came over with William the Conqueror, any of the American Lanes wind their way back in continuance to that one, still represented among the gentry of England. It is quite possible, however, that if the name Lane sometimes was a local designation, applied to a man who lived in a lane, e. g.: John at the lane, the existence of the name as a surname already may have aided in the assumption of the shorter form. It is quite likely also that in some cases the Gaelic Maclean has been shortened to Lean. One case of this has fallen under my own observation. The change of spelling from Lean to Lane would then be an easy matter, especially in times when as Mr. Fitts remarks, "in early records the name is variously spelled Lane, Laine, Layne, Lean, and the name with the prefix Mac or Mc has the same variety of form." Rev. James P. Lane mentions the possible derivation of name from the French *laine*, the word for wool, and suggests that French Huguenots, wool growers or workers, may have assumed the name. The name of Reyner, Job Lane's father-in-law, is certainly French, and there were Huguenot settlers in this part of England, so that Rev. Mr. Lane may be right. But in default of definite documents we have to admit that kinship among Lanes is a matter of conjecture, and that the path of the genealogist is appropriately enough strait and narrow. Yet we have been enabled by wills, with the indispensable help of my friend, J. W. Evans, LL. B., Sc. D., F. G. S., to locate definitely the English home of the Lanes included in this volume (owing to the fact that their family so long retained an interest in property in England,)* as in Rickmansworth, almost a suburb of London. It seems therefore fit that they should have a volume to themselves.

Some have questioned the use of these genealogies and the wisdom of the taste for them which has of late increased so greatly in America. But it has never been thought unworthy the dignity of the historian to trace the genealogies of reigning families, and each of these family genealogies may be considered as a contribution to that of the American sovereign. He who reverences the Bible cannot despise them as useless, for he must own that many of them are preserved therein. Nor can the evolutionist consistently main-

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tain that the more recent boughs of the family tree are less worthy of study than the earlier. Moreover in such books the historian finds many little incidents which are precious as showing what the average man was doing and feeling. It was a bright idea of Rev. Mr. Fitts to cull from his pages such facts and group them together as Annals, and excepting indexes, etc., this is practically the only part of the present volume which he had not completed. It has been prepared from his rough manuscript notes by my brother, Lucius P. Lane.

References in the text or in his manuscript show that Mr. Fitts had examined records and histories and other publications relating to the towns of Bedford, Billerica, Boston, Gloucester, Malden and Salem, Mass., Charlestown, N. H., and Woodstock, Maine, and the Massachusetts counties of Middlesex, Worcester, and Suffolk, as well as the Massachusetts and General Court records and archives, Winthrop's Journal, Sewall's Diary, publications of the Society of Colonial Wars, the genealogical works of Bond, and Farmer and Moore, and the Avery genealogy. From Mr. Fitts' notes he had evidently intended, in addition to previous acknowledgements, to express his thanks for help in preparing this volume to the late William H. Whitmore, Esq., whose "Lane Family Papers" appeared in the New England Historical and Genealogical Register, to Samuel Richards, Esq., of Maine, who contributed "Notes of James Lane," in Old Times, October, 1883, and to Miss Charlotte Augusta Lane, of Gloucester, Mass., Samuel Freeman Lane, Esq., of Pennsylvania, Miss Herreshoff, of Rhode Island, and Miss Alice G. Lane, and Mr. Thos. E. Libby, of Vinalhaven, Maine.

ALFRED C. LANE.

LANSING, Mich., July 1, 1901.

NOTE.

THE long delay in the publication of this volume is in part due to the fact that, while we were working over the preliminary and complementary pages, knowledge was brought to us of the existence in England of additional wills, which furnish information of the Lane ancestry of the families included in this volume, going back three more generations to 1542. Believing that there is sufficient of interest in them to justify it, I have procured copies, which will be found in their proper places in the Postscript prefixed to Part I. For our knowledge of the existence and location of these wills, all of which were filed in the Archdeacon's Court of St. Albans, and for any information included in the Postscript not gleaned from them, we are indebted to the courtesy of Mrs. Mary W. (Lane) Poor, of Hackensack, N. J., for whom these items were procured by the researches of a professional genealogist of London, whom she independently employed.

Both Mrs. Fitts and I have received requests for the insertion of additional information as to some of the families included in the volume. Since pages 1–391 were all printed, in sufficient number for the edition, before Mr. Fitts' death, the only way in which such items could be added would be to put them on separate pages at one end of the volume, as "Addenda." As this is not a very satisfactory method, and moreover, to set a limit to the date up to which additions would be received would be perplexing, it has been decided not to attempt at all to bring the information to a later date than that reached at the time of Mr. Fitts' death. In lieu thereof some blank leaves of writing paper will be bound in at the end, and upon these may be completed and kept the particular family record of each possessor of a copy of the volume.

L. P. LANE.

BOSTON, MASS., July 11, 1902.

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CORRECTIONS.

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Page 28, line 6, for "*Dachariah*" put "*Zachariah.*"

Page 56, at the foot of the page, the words from "deacon" to "memorial" inclusive, should be placed after the name of *Eckley*, 10th child of Timothy Stearns[6], instead of after the name of Eckley, 3d child of Obed.

Page 79, at the foot of the page, for "*Bedell Bangs*" put "*Biddles Boggs;*" for "——— *Wilcox,*" put "*John Henry Wilson;*" for "*Hodkins*" put "*Hodgkins.*"

Page 99, line 4, for "1746" put "1846."

Page 110, entry VII, for "AUGUSTA JOY" put "AUGUSTUS JOY;" for SARAH SKIDMORE" put "SUSAN SKIDMORE."

Page 117, a little below the middle of the page, for "SARAH HAWES BERRY" put "SARAH HOWES BERRY."

Page 129, line 11 from the foot of the page, for "*Allin Rufus Reed*" put "*Albin Rufus Reed.*"

Page 141, also line 11 from the foot of the page, for "1843" put "1833."

Page 160, family **97**, for EDWARD ERI POOR" put "EDWARD ERIE POOR."

Page 171, make a reference by footnote to mention of James Lane[1], also in Part II, pages 9, 12, 18.

Page 237, number **83**, for "ANNIE RUHAMAH" put "AMMI RUHAMAH."

Page 267, line 7, for "MEHITABLE BRITT" put "MEHITABLE BRETT."

Page 310, line 2, second date, for "1790" put "1791."

Page 362, family **147**, make the pedigree of CAPT. GEORGE EDWARD LANE, read as follows: (Gideon[6,5,4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1],) instead of (Gideon[6,5], Joseph[4,3], John[2], James[1]).

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Ebenezer[4] (Job[3] John[2])	24

Name and Generation.	Family.
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Samuel^{4} (Samuel^{3})	26
Zebulon^{4} "	27
Daniel^{4} "	28
Issacher^{4} "	29
Nicholas^{5} (William^{4})	30
James^{5} (Josiah^{4})	31
Josiah^{5} "	32
Isaac^{5} "	33
Theophilus^{5} "	34
Levi^{5} "	35
Capt. Francis^{5} "	36
Mark^{5} "	37
David^{5} (David^{4})	38
Caleb^{5} (Joseph^{4,3})	39
Gideon^{5} "	40
Caleb Jr.^{5} (Caleb^{4})	41
Joseph^{5} "	42
Zacheus^{5} "	43
Solomon^{5} (Solomon^{4})	44
Nathaniel^{5} "	45
Cornelius^{5} "	46
Humphrey^{5} "	47
William^{5} "	48
Gideon 2d^{5} (Gideon^{4})	49
Martha^{5} "	50
John Babson^{5} "	51
Peter^{5} "	52
Benjamin^{5} (Benjamin^{4})	53
Eliphalet^{5} "	54
Samuel^{5} "	55
Jonathan^{5} (Jonathan^{4})	56
Moses^{5} "	57
Abner^{5} (Hezekiah^{4})	58
Joseph^{5} (Joseph^{4}, Benj^{3})	59
Ebenezer^{5} (Ebenezer^{4})	60
Job^{5} "	61
Andrew^{5} (Andrew^{4})	62
Capt. George^{5} "	63
Stephen^{5} (Samuel^{4})	64
Daniel^{5} (Daniel^{4})	65
James^{5} "	66
Giddings^{5} "	67
Elias^{5} "	68
Peter^{5} "	69
Samuel^{5} "	70
Issacher^{5} (Issacher^{4})	71
Benjamin^{5} "	72
William^{6} (Nicholas^{5})	73
John^{6} "	74
Josiah^{6} (Josiah^{5})	75
Isaac^{6} (Isaac^{5})	76
Levi^{6} "	77
Betsey^{6} (Levi^{5})	78

Name and Generation.	Family.
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Polly^{6} "	80
Nancy^{6} "	81
Mary^{6} (Francis^{5})	82
Ammi Ruhamah^{6} "	83
Mark^{6} (Mark^{5})	84
George Washington^{6} "	85
John^{6} (David^{5})	86
David^{6} "	87
Epes^{6} "	88
Hon. Samuel^{6} "	89
Joseph 3d^{6} (Caleb^{5} Joseph^{4})	90
William Saville^{6} " "	91
Theodore^{6} " "	92
Gideon^{6} (Gideon^{5} Joseph^{4})	93
Samuel Robinson^{6} " "	94
David Saville^{6} (Caleb^{5,4})	95
Lazarus^{6} "	96
Cyrus^{6} (Zacheus^{5})	97
Nathaniel^{6} (Nathaniel^{5})	98
Wentworth Riggs^{6} "	99
Lewis^{6} "	100
William^{6} (William^{5})	101
Albert^{6} "	102
Capt. Gideon 2d^{6} (Gideon^{5,4})	103
Oliver Griffin^{6} "	104
Gustavus Adolphus^{6} "	105
William^{6} (John Babson^{5})	106
Thomas Bicknell^{6} (Peter^{5} Gideon^{4})	107
Benjamin^{6} (Benj.^{5,4})	108
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Frederick^{6} (Jonathan^{5})	111
Allen^{6} "	112
John^{6} (Abner^{5})	113
Hon. Ebenezer^{6} (Ebenezer^{5})	114
Andrew^{6} (Andrew^{5})	115
George^{6} (George^{5})	116
Stephen^{6} (Stephen^{5})	117
Jonathan Denison^{6} "	118
Joshua^{6} (Daniel^{5})	119
John^{6} (James^{5})	120
Polly^{6} (Giddings^{5})	121
Alpheus^{6} "	122
Giddings^{6} "	123
Calvin^{6} "	124
Alvan^{6} (Elias^{5})	125
Eliphalet G.^{6} (Peter^{5} Daniel^{4})	126
Issacher^{6} " "	127
John^{6} (Benj.^{5} Issacher^{4})	128
Joseph^{6} " "	129
James A.^{6} " "	130
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Name and Generation.	Family.
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Seth[7] "	134
Joseph Hicks[7] (Levi[6])	135
Julia Ann (Lewis) Herreshoff[7] (Nancy[6])	136
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David[7] (David[6])	138
James Monroe[7] "	139
John[7] "	140
David[7] (Epes[6])	141
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William[7] "	144
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Rodney[7] (James[6])	166
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David[8] (David[7.6])	175
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PART IV.

EDWARD LANE OF BOSTON, MASS.

Name and Generation.	Family.
Edward Lane[1]	1
Edward[2] (Edward[1])	2

POSTSCRIPT TO PART I.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AS TO THE

Lane Family in Rickmansworth, England,

AND VICINITY.

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ROBERT LANE or A LANE[4],* of Rickmansworth, Herts., "husbandman," who is described in the Subsidy Roll of 1524 as "Robert A Lane," and in that of 1525 as "Robert Lane," in his will, dated 4 July, 1542, proved 11 June, 1543, provides that he is to be "buryed yn the churche yerd of our blessed lady yn Ricmansworthe," and gives to his daughters Annes Page and Margaret Thorpe each one acre of wheat, one cow, and 10 sheep, and specified articles of household furniture; to John Page, son of William Page, and John Thorpe, son of Edward Thorpe, each one sheep; and to Elyne, his son's daughter, one bullock. The residuary legatee and executor was his son Thomas.

In the name of God Amen In the yere of oure lord God 1542 the iiijth daye of Julye I Robt Lane of the pyshe of Ricmansworth, husbandman syke yn body & hole of memory make my testament and last will yn thys forme and man followyng ffirst I bequeth my soul unto Almightie God &c & my body to be buryed yn the churche yerd of our blessed lady yn Ricmansworthe Item I bequeth to the hye aut of my pyshe churche for tythes for youer iiij^{d} Item I bequeth to Annes Page my dought one acre of wheate Item I bequeth to Margaret Thorpe one acre of wheat I bequeth unto Annys & Margaret either of them x shepe apece Item I bequeth to John Page the sone of Willm Page one shepe Item I bequeth unto John Thorpe the son of Edward Thorpe one shepe Item I bequeth to my dought Annes and Mar-

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* Throughout the Postscript the index figures indicate the generation counting *back* from the settlement in America.

gatt the Botts [sic] that ar yn the nether pece yn the myld fyld I bequeth to Annes Page ij pans Item I bequeth nnto Margaret Thorpe a pott Item I bequeth to Annes and Margaret ether of them ij pewt dysshes Item I bequeth unto Annes Page one postnett Item I bequeth unto Margett Thorpe one kettell Item I bequeth to Annes and Margaret ether of them two peyre of shetts Item I bequeth unto Annes Page one cowe Item I bequeth unto Marget Thorpe one cowe Item I bequeth unto Elyne my sones dought one bolloke. The rest of my goods not bequethed my detts payd and my funerall done I gyue frely unto my sone Thoms whome I make my trewe and Lawfull executore for to dyspose my goods for the Comfort of my soule and all chrysten Soules as he shall thynke best and also my louyng neyghbours John Garden & John Euelyng ou sears of thys my last wyll The wytnes Willm Hopkyns curat Ric Rosse Wyllm Pearne John Garden John Euelyng with many other the daye & yere above sayd.

Children of Robert Lane[4], in 1542:

THOMAS[3], m. ALICE ———, and had children. See hereunder.

ANNES[3], m. WILLIAM PAGE, and had: John[2], living in 1542. Did the latter m. Mary ———, or was there also a daughter Mary? Thomas Lane, in 1586, bequeathed to Mary Page one-quarter of wheat.

MARGARET[3], m. EDWARD THORPE, and had: John[2], who was living in 1542; she received a bequest from her brother Thomas in 1587.

THOMAS LANE[3], of Rickmansworth, yeoman, son of the above mentioned Robert Lane, made a will dated 9 Dec., 1586, proved 14 June, 1587, in which he provides that he is to be buried in the church yard at Rickmansworth, and bequeaths 10 shillings to the poor of Rickmansworth; to his son George "the Table in the hale, and the forme and the settles about the window, and the horse mill standinge in the Barne with all things belonging to the said mill;" also "a great Brase pott wich was my Grandfathers," after the decease of the testator's wife; to his son John Lane, 10 sheep; to his son Richard Lane, certain crops and farm implements; to his daughter Joan Wynchfield, a cow and a quarter of wheat; to Elizabeth Culverhouse, one bullock and five sheep; to

Mary Page, one quarter of wheat; to James Lane, a house and two acres of land in Croxley Green, on the condition that the aforementioned George Lane, father of the said James, pays to testator's daughter Dorothy, ten pounds at marriage, otherwise the said house and land to go to Dorothy and her heirs; to his daughter Dorothy, in addition to the above, £10 at marriage, household furniture and also a certain debt of £5; to his sister Thorpe two bushels of wheat and two of rye, and 40s apiece to each of testator's six children. The residuary legatee and executrix was his wife Alice.

In the name of god Amen the ninth Daye of December in the yere of our Lord god 1586 in the nine and twentieth yere of the rainge of our moste gratious Soueraig Ladie Quene Elizabeth I Thomas Lane of Rickersworth in the countie of Hertford yeoman beinge sicke of bodie by the visitation of Almightie god Not wth standinge hole in mind and in good and perfect memory Prayse be to god mack ordaine & declare this my laste will & Testament in Manner & forme followinge That is to saie ffirste I bequeth my soule to allmightie god my maker & into Jesus Christe my onely redemer & saviour and my bodie to be buried in the Curche yarde of Rickm shworthe Imprimis I geve to the poore of Rickmershworth xs Item I give to George Lane my sonne the Table in the hale and the forme and the settles about the window and the horse mill standinge in the Barne with all things belonging to the said mill also I geve him a great Brase pott wich was my Grandfathers and he shall not haue it untill after the deth of my wife & that she shall not cary it out of the house withe her Item I geve unto John Lane my sonne Ten shepe wherof five to be Ewes & five to be Lambes not of the beste nor of the worste Item I geve unto Richard Lane the third part of all the Corne nowe growing uppon the Burie ground payinge the third part of the rent & halfe a quarter of wheate & halfe a quarter of Rie Two quarter of Otts half a quarter of Barley & half a quater of Pease Ten shepe one cowe one gray horse and half parte of all carts ploughes Harrowes Horse harnesse & all other things belonginge to husbandrie and all the implements & shope gere wiche Richard Lovett hath in occupinge* Item I geve unto Johan Winckfelde my daughter one cowe and one quarter of wheate to be deliuered to the said Johan after harvest next cominge Item I geve to Elizabeth Cvlverhouse one Bullocke of three yere olde and five sheep Item I geve to Mary Page one quarter wheat after harveste next Item I geve to Jeames Lane one house & two acres of Land lying in Croxley grene nowe in the occupiinge of Willm Runwell upon this condition that the foresaide George Lane my sonne the

*It I wyll that yf my wyff do marry then my wyll is that my sonne Richard shalt have the other half of my cartes [?] and plowes & horses and Implements of husbandry

father of the said Jeames shall paie unto Dorothie Lane my daughter ten pound of currant money at the Daye of her mariage or within sixe weeks after being lawfully demanded & if the said George doe refuse to paie the said Ten pound unto the foresaid Dorothie accordinge to my will then I geve the house and the Land to the said Dorothie and her heires for ever Item I geve unto Dorothie Ten pound more at the Daie of her mariage and a ioyned bedstede with bed wholy as it standeth two paire of shets a Brasse Pott Item I geve her five pounds more wiche Jhon Gould of Bovingdon dwelling at [illegible] to be paide within Sixe weecks after my deasease Item I geve to my sistar Thorpe ij bushells of wheate and ij of Rie whereof one to be paid presently after my desease and the Rest after harveste* All the rest of my goods cattalls unbequethed detts and legacies paide my funerall discharged I geve unto Alice my wife whom I macke and constitute my whole executrix & I macke Charlys Spencer & Thomas Hull my over seers & for there paines iij^s iiij^d a peece.

*It I geve unto all my sixe chylldren xl s apeece to be payd unto them immediately after my dysses

Children of Thomas Lane[3], the last six of whom were living in 1586:

ELYNE[2], to whom her grandfather, Robert Lane[4], in 1542, bequeathed a bullock.

GEORGE[2], who had children. See hereunder.

JOHN[2].

RICHARD[2].

JOAN[2], m. ——— WYNCHFIELD.

ELIZABETH[2], m. ——— CULVERHOUSE.

DOROTHY[2]. Did she m. Thomas Hull, and have among other children, Judith, who m. Henry Lovett? See the wills of George Lane, 1627, and John Lane, 1661.

GEORGE LANE[2], of Rickmansworth, yeoman, son of the above mentioned Thomas Lane[3], and grandson of Robert[4], was the father of JAMES LANE[1], Senior, and the grandfather of Job, James and Edward, to an account of whose families this volume is devoted. The will of George Lane, dated 6 Nov., 1627, and proved 27 Sept., 1628, bequeaths to his son Henry Lane, £10 and certain articles

of furniture, to his son Symon Lane a life annuity of £4 towards the bringing up of his children, upon condition that he shall not return his children to his kindred, otherwise the legacy to be void. To his daughter Isabell Lane he gives articles of furniture and £70, to his sons Jerome and James Lane each £10, to Edward Lane, son of said James, 40s; to Anne Hull, daughter of Thomas Hull, 40s; to Thomas, Sara, Judith, Mary and Rebecca, children of Thomas Hull, each one ewe sheep; 10s to the poor widows, and to his son John Lane, certain articles of furniture. The residuary legatees and executors were his sons Thomas and John.

In the name of god Amen the sixt daie of Nouember 1627 and in the third yeare of the Raigne of our Souigne Lord Charles by the grace of god of england Scotland ffrance and Ireland Kinge defender of the ffaith &c I George Lane of Rickmersworth in the Countie of Hertf yoman being sicke in body, but of good and pfecte Remembrance thanks be geuen to Allmightie god for it doo make and Ordaine this my last will and Testament all former wills to be Revoked in maner & forme ffollowing that is to say, ffirst I bequeth my soule into the hands of allmightie god my maker, and my body to be buried in Christian Buriall as becometh, Item I geve & bequeth to my son Henry Lane the Cubberd in the Buttery one Bed and Bedstead with all the ffornitire there unto belonging wheare in I now do Ly at the making of my will and Testament, and Ten pounds of Currand english money, to be paid to him within sixe monthes after my Desess. Item I bequeth to my sonne Symon Lane fower pownds of Lawfull english money to be paid to him yearly during his naturall Life, towards the bringing up of his Children upon Condicion that hee shall not Retorne his Children to his Kindred if he Retorne his Children to his Kindred then this gift is to be Cleerely voide, Item my sole Executor shall [doubtful] Symon Lanes ground one year after the dated abovesaid that hee now houldeth, Item I bequeth to my Daughter Issabell Lane the Bedstead with all the ffurniture theare unto belonging of the best the bigest brass pott saving one and the bigest Kettle saving one, and the Cubberd that is now in the Lofte and the greate Cheste and Threescore & Ten pownds of Lafull english money to be paid to her within Three Monthes after my decess, Item I bequeth to my sonne Jerome Lane Ten pounds of Lawfull english money to be paid to him within Three monthes after my Decess, Item bequeth to my sonne James Lane Tenn pownds of Lawfull english money Item I bequeth to Edward Lane the sonne of the said James Lane ffortie shillings of Lawfull english money, Item I bequeth to Anne Hull daughter of Thomas Hull fortie shillings of Lawfull english money, Item I bequeth to Thomas Hull Sarra Hull Judeth Hull Mary Hull and Rebecca Hull children of Thomas Hull each

of them one ewe sheep Item I bequeath to the poore widdowes Ten shillings, Item I geve and bequeth to my son John Lane the Table in the halle with the Tressels benches fornie and settles as it now standing the bigest pott and Kettle that is in the house wherein I now dwell and alsoe the Timber that is now ffelled Lying about the house wheare in I now dwell und I make my sole Executores of this my Laste will & Testamente my two sonnes Thomas Lane and John Lane all the Residue of my goods and Chattels vnbequeathed my debts being paid and my funerall discharged my will is that my Executores shall have equally between them and I make my overseers of this my last will and Testament Roger Eve and William Clarke, and they are to have ijs vjd apeece for their paines. In witness wheare of I have put my hand and seale the daie and yeare above said in the presents of us whose names are heare under written.

Abraham Gibb
the ∧ marke of
Roger Eve
the W marke of
William Clarke

the marke of
X
Georg Lane

{ Seal }

Children of George Lane[2], in 1627:

THOMAS[1], executor of his father's will of 1627, and trustee under the will of his brother Symon in 1629. Not mentioned in the will of his brother Jerome in 1646, or that of his brother John in 1661.

JOHN[1], executor of his father's will of 1627, and trustee under the will of his brother Symon in 1629. Made his own will in 1661. See Part I, **III**, page 2.

HENRY[1]. See Part I, **II**, page 2.

SYMON[1], m. ALICE ———. By his will, dated 19 May, 1629, proved 15 June, 1629, printed on page xxvi he left £30 to his son Thomas, and £15 each to his daughters Sarah, Joan and Frances; the above legacies to be paid to his brothers, Thomas and John Lane, for the benefit of his said children till of age, until which time his wife Alice is to have the profits arising therefrom, and the said sums are to be paid by the executrix to the said trustees at the house of the said Thomas Lane in Rickmansworth. Residuary legatee and executrix his wife Alice. Children:

1. *Thomas*, m. and had children. See Part I, **IV**, page 5.
2. *Sarah*. 3. *Joan*.
4. *Frances*. Did she marry Richard Lovett? Will of John Lane, 1661: "Item I giue & bequeath vnto my kinswoman ffrances the now wife of Richard Lovett Tenn pounds. . . ."

JEROME[1]. m. MARTHA ———. See Part I, **VI**, page 5.

JAMES[1], m. KATHERINE RUSSELL. See also Part I, **I**, page 1. His grandfather, Thomas Lane, bequeathed to him in 1586, a house and two acres of land in Croxley Green, upon certain conditions. In 1661 four sons of James Lane were living:

1. *John.* See Part I, upper part of page 2.
2. *Job.* See Part II, page 8.
3. *James.* See Part III, page 171.
4. *Edward.* See Part IV, page 387.

ISABELL[1].

GEORGE[1], m. and had children. See Part I, **V**, page 5.

WILL OF SYMON LANE.

In the name of God Amen the ninteenth daie of May 1629 I Symon Lane of Rickmsworth in the countie of Hertf yoman being sick in body but of good and p fitt Remembrance thanks be geven to allmightie god for it doo make and ordaine this my last will and Testamente, all fformer willes to be Revoked, in manor and fforme ffollowinge vidy ffirst I bequeth my soule into the hands of Almightie god my maker And Redeemer, and my body to be buried in Christian Buriall as becometh, Item I give and bequeth unto my sonne Thomas Lane the some of Thirty pownds of Lawfull english money to be paid unto him when he shall be of the full age of one and Twentie years Item I give and bequeth unto my daughter Sara Lane the some of fifteine pownds of Lawfull english money to be paid to her when shee shall be of the ffull age of one and Twentie yeares, Item I give and bequeth unto my Daughter Joan Lane the sum of fifteine pownds of Lawfull english money to be paid Two her when shee shall be of the full age of one and Twentie years Item I give and bequeth unto my Daughter Francis Lane the some of ffifteine pownds of Lawfull english money to be paid to her when shee shall be of the full age of One and Twentie yeares And my will is ffurther that all those forsaid portiones and somes of money geven and bequethed shall be put out and delivered unto my Two Brothers Thomas Lane and John Lane, they putting in good Security to my Executors and overseers, whearby my children may be sure to have there portiones when they shall be of the full age of one and Twentie yeares as is aforsaid And my will alsoe is that Allice Lane my Lawfull wife shall have the benefit and profite that shall arise according to the statue of the portiones geven to my children, tell they shall come to the full age of One and Twentie yeares for and Towards the bringing up of my children afore named And Alice my wife is to deliv these forsaid somes to

Thomas Lane and John Lane vidy that is to say the Onehalfe at the ffeaste daie of All Saints next ensuing after the Date Above said, and the other halfe at or upon the ffeaste Day of Sainte John the Baptiste which shall be in the year of our lord god one Thousand sixe hundred and Thirtie at or in the Dwelling house of the said Thomas Lane, in Rickm sworth Aforesaid, And if it shall happen that any of the said Children, Thomas Lane Sara Lane Joane Lane and ffrancis lane Do die and depart this life before they shall be of the full age then my will is that his or her porsion soe departed shall be Equally Devided Among the Rest that be living, And if it shall happen that Allice my wife Doe mary or contract herself to any man before the forsaid somes of money be payable to be put out to Thomas lane and John Lane if shee doo not put them in good security for the payments of the said money Then my will is that my Two Brothers Thomas lane and John lane shall enter upon soe mutch goods and Chattels as the Childrens portiones shall Amonte unto, And I make my sole Executrixe of this my last will and Testament Allice my lawfull wife all the Residue of my goods & Chattels unbequethed I give and bequeth to my said Executrixe my Debts being paid my funerall discharged

And I make my overseers of this my last will and Testament William Clarke and John White, and I give them ij^{s} vj^{d} apeece for their panes In witness wheare of I have put to my hand and seale the daie and year aforsaid

Witnesses to the p sents
Abraham Gibb
Jeremy Lane
John White
the marke of
W
William Clarke

the marke of
X
Symon Lane

{ Seal }

The Place of the Yeoman in English Society in the Sixteenth Century.

THESE wills show that our ancestors were yeomen. As an explanation of the term as used in the England of that time, the following quotation from the treatise of Sir Thomas Smith, 1513–1577, De Republica Anglorum, first published at London in 1583, afterwards re-published under the title: The Common Wealth of England, is contemporary evidence, clear and conclusive. Sidney Lee's Dictionary of National Biography says of Smith's work: "It is the most important description of the constitution and government of England written in the Tudor age." I quote from the edition of 1584, pages 29–32:

OF YEOMEN.

CHAP. 23.

Those whom we call yeomen next unto the nobilitie, Knights and Squires, haue the greatest charge and doings in the common wealth, or rather are more trauailed to serue in it than all the rest: as shall appeare hereafter. I call him a yeoman whom our Lawes doe call *Legalem hominem*, a worde familiar in writtes and enquestes, which is a freeman borne English, and may dispend of his owne free lande in yerely reuenue to the summe of xl. s. sterling . . . This sort of people confesse themselues to be no gentlemen, but giue the honour to al which be or take upon them to be gentlemen, and yet they have a certaine preheminence and more estimation than laborers and artificers, and commonly liue wealthily, keepe good houses, & do their businesse, & trauaile to acquire riches: these be (for the most part) fermors unto gentlemen, which with grasing, frequenting of markettes, and keeping seruaunts not idle as the gentleman doth, but such as get both their owne liuing and parte of their maisters: by these meanes do come to such wealth, that they are able and daily doe buy the landes of unthriftie gentlemen, and after setting their sonnes to the schoole at the Uniuersities, to the lawe of the Realm, or otherwise leauing them sufficient landes whereon they may liue without labour, doe make

their saide sonnes by these meanes gentlemen. These be not called masters, for that (as I saide) pertaineth to gentlemen onely: But to their surnames, men adde goodman . . . I meane not in matters of importance or in lawe. But in matters of Lawe and for distinction, if one were a knight they would write him (for example sake) Sir Iohn Finch Knight, so if he be an Esquier, Iohn Finch, Esquier or Gentleman, if he be no Gentleman, Iohn Finch yeoman. . . . So amongest the husbandmen labourers, lowest and rascall sort of the people such as be exempted out of the number of the rascabilitie of the popular be called and written yeomen, as in the degree next unto gentlemen. These are they which olde Cato calleth *Aratores* and *optimos cives in Republica*: and such as of whom the writers of common wealths praise to have manie in it. . . . . .
When they are foorth they fight for their Lordes of whom they hold their landes, for their wiues and children, for their countrey and nation, for praise and honour, against they come home . . . These are they which in the old world gat that honour to Englande, not that either for witte, conduction, or for power they are or were euer to be compared to the gentlemen, but because they be so manie in number, so obedient at the Lordes call, so strong of bodie, so harde to endure paine, so couragious to aduenture with their Lorde or Captaine going with, or before them, for else they be not hastie nor neuer were as making no profession of knowledge of warre. These were the good archers in times past, and the stable troupe of footemen that affraide all France, that would rather die all, than once abandon the knight or gentleman their captaine, who at those daies commonly was their Lorde, and whose tenauntes they were . . . And this they haue amongest them from their forefathers tolde one to an other. The gentlemen of Fraunce and the yeomen of England are renowned, because in battle of horsemen Fraunce was many times too good for us, as we againe alway for them on foote. And Gentlemen for the most part be men at armes and horsemen, and yeomen commonlie on foote: howsoeuer it was, yet the gentlemen had alwaies the conduction of the yeomen . . . and the Kinges of Englande in foughten battles remaining alwaies among the footemen, as the Frenche Kings among their horsemen. Eche Prince therby as a man may gesse, did shew where he thought his strength did consist. . . . . .

PART I.

Lane Family in Rickmansworth, England,

AND VICINITY.

The frontispiece is a picture of the old Lane farm house at Shepherds, Mill-End, Rickmansworth, Hertfordshire, England. It was the home of English Lanes for at least a hundred years, including John Lane (1620–1706?), own cousin and correspondent of Job Lane, who came to America about 1635 according to the family tradition. From the style of construction the house seems to have been built about the last of the 16th or early in the 17th century, and I think it is safe to assume that it is the identical building which was occupied by the English John Lane above mentioned, as we know that he was "of Shepherds" and that the house was occupied by his descendants some generations later. The house passed out of the possession of people of the Lane name, by reason of there being no male descendants, about the middle of the last century, and out of the possession of any of the Lane blood, early in the present century, about 1820, as near as I can find out. The house is no longer used as the residence of the occupier of the farm, but as the bailiff's house, the bailiff being a sort of overseer or foreman.—*L. P. Lane.*

I.

JAMES LANE, SENIOR, yeoman, perhaps of Rickmansworth in the county of Hertford, England, was the father of Job, James and Edward Lane, of Malden, Mass., about 1650. (Was the

name of his wife Katherine? "Will of Rich[d] Russel of the county of Hereford, the elder, gent., 16 Aug. 1627, proved 10 June 1628: To Mr. James Lane and wife Katherine Lane, *etc.*") Mr. Lane had four sons and died possessed of landed estate before 1654.

JOHN, the eldest son, remained in England. He received joint inheritance with his brother James, in the parental estates prior to 1654, and perhaps was the kinsman and executor mentioned in John Lane's will of 1661. Other sons of James Lane, Senior, were Job, James and Edward who all settled in the vicinity of Boston, Mass. A letter from Jeremiah Gould, dated at London, 6 June 1654, and directed to his "Kind Friend Job Lane" in Mass., shows that James Lane, Senior, and wife had surrendered an estate to their sons James and John and their heirs. The father and mother died in debt, "a good sum," and the son James paid it.

James Lane, Senior, had five brothers of whom we have some knowledge.

II.

HENRY LANE a brother of James Lane, Senior, and probably died without issue. The letter of Jeremiah Gould to Job Lane, 1654, says: "Your uncle Henry Lane is dead; there is 19 acres of poor land fallen unto his heir, and there is a scruple made whether you be he or no, because you have an elder brother and not known to be dead."—*N. E. Gen. Reg., 44: 397.*

III.

JOHN LANE was a brother of James Lane, Senior, and was mentioned in their brother Jeremie's will, 1646. Jeremiah Gould writes to Job Lane, in 1653 or '4: "I made a journey unto your uncle John Lane within this 8 days and must meet him on Saturday at Rickmansworth." The will of John Lane of Rickmansworth in the county of Hertford is dated 7 Aug., 1661, and gives much family history. The will provides for "Herriotte" payable at

his death to the lord of the manor of Rickmansworth. It bequeaths "to Rebecca Baker my daughter ffiue pounds of good and lawfull money of England." It leaves legacies to ten other persons in sums varying from ten to thirty pounds. It gives "to the poore people of Rickmansworth ffifty shillings to be distributed amongst them where most need is;" also "Three Hundred of Spray ffagotts To the poore people of Millend to be delivered to them thensueing Winter and continually for one and Twenty years." The residuary legatee and executor of the will was "my kinsman John Lane."

He seems without male issue. His daughter Rebecca m. —— Baker.

WILL OF JOHN LANE.

1661. "*In the name of God Amen*, the seaventh day of August in the Thirteenth yeare of the Raigne of our Soveraigne Lord King Charles the Second over England &c. Anoq. Dni one Thousand Six hundred Sixty one, I John Lane of Rickmersworth in the County of Hertford yeoman being of a good and perfect memory (praysed be God) knowing death certain but the tyme and hower very vncertaine being weake and sick in body doe make this my last will and Testament in manner following And first of all I giue to the poore people of Rickmersworth aforesaid fifty shillings of good and lawfull money of England To be distributed amongst them where most need is within one month next after my death At the direction of myne Executor hereafter herein named. Item I giue and bequeath to Rebecca Baker my daughter ffive pounds of like good money And to my kinsman Job Lane sonne of my brother James Lane deceased I giue and bequeath the sume of Thirty pounds of like good money. And to my kinsman Thomas Lane sonne of my brother Symon Lane deceased I giue and bequeath fifteene pounds of like good money And to Jahasell Lane sonne of my brother Jeremiah Lane deceased I giue and bequeath the sume of Tenn pounds of like good money And to Mary Lane my kinswoman daughter of the said Jeremiah I giue and bequeath the like sume of Tenn pounds of like good money All which said Legacies And severall sumes of money soe bequeathed I will shall be paid to them and every of them within Sixe months after my death by myne Executor heareafter herein named Item I giue and bequeath vnto my kinswoman ffrances the now wife of Richard Lovett Tenn pounds of like good money to be paid vnto her Twenty shillings a yeare during Tenn yeares next ensueing after my death Item I give & bequeath to Judith Lovett ye wife of Henry Lovett ye like sume of Tenn pounds of like good money to be paid vnto her Twenty shillings a yeare dureing Tenn years next ensueing after my death Item I give and bequeath vnto my said kinsman Jahasell Lane the bedstedd in my Parlour wheron I now lye with all my bedding and furniture of Bedding thervpon or therwithall now vsed And if my said daughter Rebecca or the Bayliffe of the

Lord of the Manor of Rickmersworth shall take away the said Bedstedd or any bedding thervnto belonging for the Herriotte to be due att my death Then my will is that my Executor shall giue the full price or valew sett vpon them for Redemption therof or if not to be redeemed shall giue him the full price as they shall be valued att in ready money Item I give vnto the said Jahasell Two paire of sheete And one Brasse Porrage pott with a Notch in it Item I giue vnto my sd kinswoman Mary Lane Two paire of sheets and one Dozen of Table napkins And my long Table cloth with a fringe att end of it and one short Table cloth Item I giue will and bequeath Three Hundred of Spray ffaggotts To the poore people of Millend to be delivered to them ensueing Winter next after my death att the discretion of myne Executor herein hereafter named The said poore people that liue betweene James Edlins and Eves house to have the said ffaggotts and none else And if any new erected cottage be made or sett vp within the liberty aforesaid hereafter and any more poore shalbe therby added and increased such poore shall have noe share in the said ffaggotts And my will is that Three Hundred of such like ffaggotts shall be given to such poore and continued for one and Twenty years next after my death and not longer And concerning Mary Hull which is now with me I doe will that my Executor herein named shall take a fatherly care of her And shall manttayne her with meate drink and apparell in decent manner for and during the terme of Three years next ensuing after my death. Item I giue and bequeath vnto James Lane brother to the said Job Tenn pounds of like good money to be paid to him within Six months next after my death by myne Executr Item I giue and bequeath vnto my kinswoman Martha Lane daughter of Jeremiah the like sume of Tenn pounds of like good money to be paid to her within Six months next after my death by myne Executr Yf it happen that my kinsman Thomas Lane shall dye before his Legacie become due Then the ffifteen pounds Legacie shalbe paid to his wife, yf shee shall dye Then to his children And if my kinsman Job dye before his Legacie shall become due Then the Thirty pounds Legacie shalbe paid to his wife if shee dye then to his children And if any of the other Legators That are single [persons] and unmaried happen to dye before their Legacie or Legacies shall become due Then my Executr shall pay such Legacie of him or her so dying to the next brother or sister att his owne discretion Item all the rest and residue of my goods and Chattells whatsoeuer vnbequeathed I giue and bequeath vnto my kinsman John Lane whome I name and appoint Executor of this my last will and Testament In Witnes whereof I the said John Lane the Testator have herevnto sett my hand and seale the day and year ffirst aboue written. JOHN LANE.

Read published and declared subscribed and Sealed by the Testator In the p'sence of Paul Ives Alice Shrimpton her marke John Hobs his marke."

Proved Jan. 13, 1661-2, by John Lane the executor, who it seems reasonable to suppose was the older brother or the cousin of Job Lane.—*N. E. Gen. Reg., 44: 395, 6.*

IV.

SYMON LANE, a brother of James Lane, Senior, died prior to the signing of John Lane's will, 1661. His son Thomas Lane received by John Lane's will fifteen pounds, to go in case of his decease to his wife, and if she die to his children. Was this the Thomas Lane who was warned by the selectmen of Dorchester, Mass., in 1635, to remove to Watertown?

V.

GEORGE LANE, a brother of James Lane, Senior, was living in 1654. He was mentioned in a letter from John Lane to his cousin Job Lane, 3 Mar., 1678, as having conveyed estate to his brother John Lane whose daughter Rebecca Baker surrendered it to the lord of the manor of Rickmansworth.

George Lane probably had son Richard Lane, who m. first, —— Joyce; second, 1664, Hester Williamson and died 1704; his children: 1. George, died 1656. 2. Mary, and 3, Rebeckah. These daughters had copy-holds at Mill End, Rickmansworth, which went to John Lane; and both died before 1678.

VI.

JEROME, JEREMIE OR JEREMIAH LANE[1], a brother of James Lane, Senior, from Penn in Buckinghamshire, bought land in Rickmansworth, 1624, lived at West End, and had wife Martha, executrix of his will, 1647.

WILL OF JEREMIAH LANE.

1646. Will of Jeremie Lane of Rickmersworth in the County of Hertford, yeoman, 30 Sept. 1646, proved 2 June 1647.

I give and bequeath to Martha my wife for and during the term of eight years next ensuing if she so long live, for and towards the education, main-

tenance and bringing up of my children, all my messuage, lands, tenants and heriditaments &c. in the hamlet of West End in the parish of Rickmersworth. And if she die before the expiration of said term then I give and bequeath the same to the purpose aforesaid, to my son John Lane and to my brother John Lane for such part of the said term that then shall be to come and unexpired. After the said term of eight years I give and bequeath the one moiety of the said messuage &c. to my eldest son John Lane and the heirs of his body lawfully begotten or to be begotten; and for default of such issue, to remain to Josias my son and the heirs of his body lawfully to be begotten; and for default of such issue to remain to Jahasiel my son &c. &c. and then to remain to the right heirs of me the said Jerome Lane forever. Provision made for daughters Mary and Martha. Wife Martha to be executrix. Witnesses, Jo Andreas, John Lane, *signum* Alice Shrimpton *ux* John Shrimpton."—*Gen. Reg., 46: 435.*

Three sons of JEREMIAH LANE[1] are mentioned in his will 1646, namely John[2], Josiah[2] and Jahasiel[2]. Two daughters of Jeremiah Lane, Mary[2] and Martha[2], are named in John Lane's will of 1661. These daughters are traced to Charlestown, Mass., where Mary died before 1694.

JAHASIEL LANE[2], m. Prudence ——, and had son *John*[3], born 1675.

JOHN LANE[2], of Shepherds, born about 1620, perhaps executor of John Lane's will 1661, and correspondent of his cousin Job Layne, 3 Mar., 1678, died 1706?; had wife Mary and son John[3] of Shepherds, born 1667, died 1728.

John Lane[3] of Shepherds had children:

1. John[4] of New House, m. first, Susannah —— who d. 11 Nov., 1720; m. second, Sarah ——, and d. 10 Aug., 1740. 2. James[4], m. first, Mary ——, who d. Dec., 1739; m. second, Ann ——, and d. about 1753. 3. Martha[4], d. 31 May, 1737. 4. Sarah[4], m. —— Howe and had Rebekah, will 1740.

James Lane[4], son of John[3] of Shepherds, had,

1. James[5] of Mill End, who gave bond to Ann Lane for her dowry out of Bullein's Court bought by Jerome Lane[1], and made his will 1758. 2. Joseph[5], will about 1780, left land to Jno. Swannell. 3. Sarah[5]. 4. Jane[5]. 5. Ann[5], Madam of Micklefield Hall. 6. Mary[5], m. —— Swannell[1] and had John, m. Sybil Edlin, and several daughters.

Descendants of JOHN SWANNELL[2] of Shepherds, who d. Dec., 1824? aged 84 yrs. and his wife SYBIL EDLIN.

I. *Joseph*[3], who occupied Shepherds up to 1820–21? and had children:

1. Harriet[4]. 2. Sarah Lane[4], m. Burford. 3. Jemima[4], m. Wilde and had, 1) Clara Charlotte, m. Davis and had Edward and Bertram. 2) Algernon William, m. 2 June, 1898. 3) Georgina Henrietta, m. —— Tracy and had Cecil, John and Clara Georgina. 4) James Augustus. 5) Laura. 4 Sybil, m. —— Austen and d. 1890.

II. *William*[3], whose children were,

1. Owen[4], and 2, Henry[4] who had, 1) William[5] and 2) Jane[5], m. —— Barber.

III. *Margaret*[3], m. —— Stansfeld and had,

1. Harriet, m. —— Powell. 2. Alfred, m. Eliza and had, 1) John S., M. A., (Oxon.)

IV. Other daughters[3].

PART II.

Job Lane of Malden and Billerica, Mass.,

AND DESCENDANTS.

1.

JOB LANE[1] (James), 1620–1697, was born in England about 1620, and owned lands in Rickmansworth, Hertfordshire, about eighteen miles from London. His uncle —— Boyse by marriage, fell April, 1643, in the sea-croft or club-fight between the King's forces and the Parliamentary army under Lord Fairfax. The tradition that Job Lane came to America in 1635, when only 15 yrs. old, is not authenticated.

Job Lane was distinguished as "master-carpenter," "housewright," "artificer" and "bridge-builder." He first appears at Sekonk, Mass., in 1643, where he was estimated worth fifty pounds for the purpose of receiving subsequent grants of land, and where he joined the Sekonk Combination, 3d 5 mo. 1644. He was at Rehoboth, Mass., 9th 4 mo. 1645, and drew lot No. 28. He was of Dorchester, Mass., and returned to England and was married there in 1647.

"A full manifestation of Thomas Howell's desire on his death bed," June 6, 1647, his property to be divided between his wife and children, names "Job Lane his kinsman now in England" executor. "The coppie of Job Lane's refusall to accept of the executorship of Thomas Howell's last will and testa^{mt} directed to the gov^{r}nor, Oct. 19, 1647," shows him to be a carpenter of Dorchester, Mass. Thomas Howell was of Marshfield. Inventory, May 31, 1648; amount £38, 2s.

Job Lane settled in Malden, Mass., near the time of its incorporation, May 2, 1649. "In answer to the petition of seull inhabi-

tants of Mistick Side, their request is granted viz. to be a district town of themselves, and the name thereoff to be Maulden."—*Gen. Court Record.*

A curious entry in the Mass. Bay Colony Records has reference to a Negro servant Eneroe who, having been set free by his former master Clement, had bound himself to Mr. Lane, May 28, 1651, for nine years. Again May 18, 1653, "In ans^r to the petition of Job Lane in behalf of Ebedmeleck his servant for the remittment of the rigor of the lawe &c. the Court judgeth it mete that the sayd Ebedmeleck, for his stealing vitualls and breaking open a window on the Lord's day, shall the next lecture day be whipt five stripes."—*Mass. Records, 3 : 306 and 4 : 137.*

A fragmentary correspondence between Job Lane and the custodians of the English estates is among the interesting papers treasured in the family at Bedford, Mass. Letters from Jeremiah Gould, dated at London in 1653 and 1654, to his "Loving Friend Job Lane," contain much family history. He writes June 6, 1654, "You wonder that your Brother James should delude me to make away your estate, and withal wished me not to surrender the premises to him . . . . Your uncle assured me that the annuity belonged not to you but to your brother Edward if he were alive, etc." Among Job Lane's other correspondents in England were Mr. Smith of Gildersome, Yorkshire, to whom he wrote Aug. 13, 1670; John Harwood, his attorney, from whom he received letters dated Feb. 18, 1665, Mar. 14, 1671-2, Feb. 6, 1677, and May 6, 1677; Marmaduke Reyner, his wife's uncle, who wrote May 17, 1676; John Dickenson of Gildersome, his friend and agent, to whom he wrote Aug. 13, 1670, Oct. 23, 1678, June 19, 1695, and from whom he received letters dated Mar. 6, 1670, Feb. 20, 1673, Apr. 29, 1675, Feb. 6, 1677, Oct. 23, 1678, Apr. 1, 1679, Apr. 16, 1695 and Nov. 3, 1696. He received a letter from his cousin John Lane, dated Mar. 3, 1678, questioning "whether the heathen have yet been subdued or not," who also adds, "I have been several times with the lord of the manor to search the court rolls, . . . and he told me that he cannot find the surrender that my uncle George Lane made to my uncle John Lane . . . . You desire to know how my cousin Baker has disposed of the estate,

and I so understand she did surrender it into the hands of the Lord of the manor, and then did take it up for her own life to one Matthew Baker kinsman of William Baker, and I think the land is past recovery." John Dickenson, Jr., wrote him in 1677, respecting "Nonconformity in England," and affirmed May, 1679, that "the Gospel is promulgated."—*Lane Family Papers, by William H. Whitmore, Gen. Reg., XI and XVII.*

Records show that Job Lane's "forfieture was abated and fine remitted," May 23 and Nov. 13, 1655; he was made freeman May 14, 1656; bought land in Malden of Nicholas Parker Sept. 22, 1656; was attorney to collect five pounds for William Wilkins of Chesham, Buck's county, England, Apr. 6, 1658; was mentioned in the inventory of George Mumings, 17th 7 mo., 1658. He contracted with the selectmen of Malden, Nov. 11, 1658, "to erect and finish upp a good strong Artificial meeting house, to be completed before 20 Sept. next ensuing."

Contract for the erection of the first Meeting house in Malden.

"Articles of agreement made and concluded ye 11th day of ye ninth mo. 1658 betweene Job Lane of Malden on the one partie, carpenter, and William Brakenbury, Lieut. John Wayte, Ensigne J. Sprague and Thomas Green, Senior, Selectmen of Malden, on the behalf of the towne, on the other partie, as followeth:

"Imprimis: The said Job Lane doth hereby covenant, promise and agree to build, erect and finish upp a good strong Artificial meeting House of Thirty-three foot Square, sixteen foot stud between joints, with dores, windows, pullpitt, seats and all other things whatsoever in all respects belonging thereto as hereafter is expressed.

1. That all the sells, girts, mayne posts, plates, Beames and all other principal Timbers shall be of good and sound white or Black oake.

2. That all the walls be made upp on the outside with good clapboards, well dressed, lapped and nayled. And the Inside to be lathed all over and well struck with clay, and uppon it with lime, and hard up to the wallplate, and also the beame fellings as need shalbe.

3. The roofe to be covered with boards and short shinglings with a territt on the topp about six foot squar to hang the bell in, with rayles about it, the floor to be made tite with planks.

4. The bell to be fitted upp in all respects and Hanged therein fitt for use.

5. Thre dores in such places as the sayed Selectmen shal direct, viz. east, west and south.

6. Six windows below the girt on thre sids, namely, east, west and south,

to contayne sixteen foot of glass in a window, with Leaves; and two windows on the south side above the girt on each side of the deske, to contayne six foot of glass A piece; and two windows under each plate on the east, west and north sides, fitt [to] conteine eight foote of glass a peice.

7. The pullpitt and cover to be of wainscott to conteyne ffiue or six persons.

8. The deacons seat allso of wainscott with door, and a table joyned to it to fall downe for the Lords Supper.

9. The ffloer to be of strong Boards throughout and well nayled.

10. The House to be fitted with seats throughout, made with good planks, with rayles on the topps, boards at the Backs and timbers at the ends.

11. The underpining to be of stone or bricks, and pointed with lyme on the outside.

12. The Alleyes to be one from the deacon's seat through the middle of the house to the north end, and another cross the house ffrom east to west sides, and one before the deacon's seat; as is drawne on the back side of this paper.

13. And the said Job to provide all boards, Timber, nayles, Iron work, glass, shingles, lime, hayre, laths, clapbords, bolts, locks and all other things whatsoever needful and belonging to the finyshing of the said house, and to rayse and finish it up in all respects before the twentie of September next ensuing, they allowing help to rayse it.

And the sd Selectmen for themselves, on behalf of the town, in consideracon of the said meeting house so finished, do hereby covenant, promise and agre to pay unto the sd Job Lane or his Assigns the sume of one hundred and ffiffty pounds in corne, cordwood and provisions sound and merchantable att price currant, and fatt cattle on valuacon by Indifferent men, unless themselves agree the prices:

In manner following, that is to say, ffifftie pound before the first of ye second mo. next ensuing, And ffifftie pounds befor the first of ye last mo. which shall be in the year one thousand six hundred 59, and other ffiffty pounds before the first of ye second mo. which shallbe in the year one thousand six hundred and sixtie. And it is further Agreed that when the sd house is finished, in case the sd Job shall find and judgeth to be worth ten pounds more, that it shall be referred to Indifferent workmen to determine, unless the sayed selectmen shall se just cause to pay the sd ten pounds without such valuacon.

In witness whereof the partys to these presents have Interchangeably put their hands the day and yeare above written,

WILLIAM BRAKENBURY
JOH SPRAGUE
JOH WAYTE
Witness,
JOSEPH HILLS
and GRESHOM HILLS."
—*Hist. of Malden.*

In 1682 the parish of Malden voted "that the meeting house be repaired to keep out the weather and to save the sills from rotting." It was in possession of a church bell at this time which was placed upon Bell Rock, an elevated ledge near which the meeting house stood and which still bears the old name.

Job Lane purchased five acres of land in Malden from Michael Smith, the last day of the 11th mo. 1659, contracted to build a bridge over Concord river to be completed before the close of the year 1659, "with abutments at each end suitable for the passing over with carts," and engaged to raise the frame of a house for Thomas Robinson of Scituate, Aug. 25, 1660.

He was appointed attorney for his brother James Lane of Malden, turner, Nov. 19, 1660. He received from his uncle John Lane's will, Aug. 7, 1661, thirty pounds: "and if my kinsman Job dye before his Lagacie shall become due, Then the Thirty pounds Legacie shall be paid to his wife; if shee dye, then to his children."

Petition, 7th 4th mo., 1662, signed Job Lane among nine inhabitants of Malden for the rest: "Our most humble Petic'on to this much honoured Court is; That a Tract of lands of About fower Miles Square at A place Called Pennycooke may be Granted As A Addic'on to us, for our better Support And Incouragement in the Service of Christ & the Countrie.

The Deputyes thinke not meete to grant this pet.

WILLIAM TORREY, Cleric."

—*Mass. Archives, 112 : 147.*

Job Lane had paid the remainder of a bill to Christian Hooper, Jan. 15, 1662-3, and with Theodore Atkinson, forger, he agreed to build a draw-bridge, Mar. 6, 1662-3.

Job Lane removed, about 1664, from Malden to the Indian Shawshine, a part of ancient Cambridge till incorporated Billerica, May 29, 1655, and Bedford since Sept. 23, 1729. Here his descendants became among the most numerous and influential families of Billerica and Bedford, Mass.

The Massachusetts Bay Company, under John Winthrop, governor, and Thomas Dudley, deputy governor, left England in April, 1629, landed at Salem in June, 1629, removed to Charlestown in

July, 1629, and settled in Boston, Sept. 17, 1630, and in Newtowne 1631. Gov. Winthrop returned to Boston and reproved his deputy in 1632, "that he did not well to bestow so much cost about wainscotting and adorning his house in the beginning of a plantation, both in regard of the public charges and for example." The removal of the governor's extremely rude frame house from Newtowne to Boston was the cause of a misunderstanding between the governor and the deputy, but matters were accommodated to the content of both parties, Sept. 4, 1632. The Colonial General Court, Nov. 2, 1637, granted Winthrop and Dudley one thousand acres of land each, as a gratuity for valuable services in laying the foundation of the Colony.

We have Gov. Winthrop's graphic account of the location of these outlying farms. The two eminent men came together from Boston by way of Concord to Shawshine and fixed on the right bank of Concord river their respective claims.

January, 1637-8. "Going down the river about four miles, they made choice of a place for one thousand acres for each of them. They offered each other the first choice, but because the deputy's was first granted and himself had store of land already the governor yielded him the choice. So at the place where the deputy's land was to begin, there were two great stones which they called the Two Brothers, in remembrance that they were brothers by their children's marriage and did so brotherly agree, and for that a little creek near those stones was to part their lands."—*Winthrop's Journal, Apr. 24, 1638.*

The General Court enlarged the grant to the governor by an additional two hundred acres, May 2, 1638, and still later, June 6, 1639, added sixty acres at the "great meadows."

May 2, 1638. "It was ordered by the prsent Court that John Winthrop Esqr. the prsent governor shall have 1200 acres of land whereof 1000 acres was formerly graunted him; & Thomas Dudley Esqr. the Deputy governor has 1000 acres granted him by a former court, both of them about 6 miles from Concord northwards; the said governor to have his 1200 acres on the southerly side of two great stones standing neare together close by the ryvers side that comes from Concord."

Mr. Dudley's farm was also increased to fifteen hundred acres and was sold by him, Feb. 28, 1651-2, for £110.

Gov. John Winthrop[1] of Mass. died Mar. 26, 1649, at 63 years. His son John Winthrop, Jr.[2], settled first at Ipswich, Mass., in 1633,

but was made governor of Saybrook plantation, Conn., in 1635. He founded New London in 1645 and became governor of Conn. in 1657. His son Fitz John Winthrop[3] sold the entire Winthrop grant to Job Lane, Aug. 2, 1664, for 230 pounds current money in New England. Mr. Lane paid for the estate by building Mr. Winthrop a mansion house and barn at New London. He was put in possession of it by John Parker, Aug. 8, 1664, and took receipt for payment July 4, 1665. The deed written on vellum, with Fitz John Winthrop's unique seal upon it, is still preserved in the possession of Job Lane's descendants.

The "Two Brothers" or "Brother Rocks" are composed of rough granite each about 10 feet in diameter and standing about 60 feet apart on the meridian. The north side of the south rock is marked "Winthrop 1638." The south side of the north rock is marked "Dudley 1638." The Bedford Historical Society marked these enduring landmarks in 1893, the expense being borne by Dudley L. Pickman, the present owner. Old oaks cut from the grove where the Two Brothers are situated were put into the bridge between Boston and Charlestown which Washington crossed and praised in 1789.

THE WINTHROP DEED.

THIS INDENTURE MADE the second day of August in the year of Or Lord one thousand Six hundred Sixty & ffour in the Sixteenth yeare of the Reigne of Or Souraigne Lord Charles the Second by the grace of God of England, Scotland, France & Ireland King, defender of the ffaith &ct, between ffitz John Winthrop of new London in the Colony of Conecticutt in New England Esquire on the one part & Job Lane of Malden in the County of Middlesex in New England Carpenter on the other part Witnesseth that the said ffitz John Winthrop for & in Consideration of the Sum of Two hundred & Thirtie pounds currant money in New England by the value there of in Cattle & other currant pay in New England to him in hand before the sealing and delivery here of well & truly paid by the above named Job Lane where of & wherewith the said ffitz John Winthrop doth acknowledge himself to be fully Satisfied contented & paid & there of doth acquit & discharge the said Job Lane his heires & assignes and every of them for euer by these presents Hath given granted, bargained, Sould, Enfoeffed & confirmed & by these prsents Doth fully clearly & absolutely giue, grant, bargain, sell, enfoffe, confirm vnto the said Job Lane his heirs & assignes forever a parcel of upland & meadow lying & being near vnto Billerica & Containeth Twelve hundred Acres be it

more or be it lesse, & is bounded by the lands formrly granted vnto Thomas Dudlow Esquire Easterly & by Concord Riuer Westerly & by Concord Riuer Southerly & by Billerica comon Easterly. Of the wch meadow, Sixty Acres be it more or lesse lyeth about a mile Easterly from the before mentioned land & meadow to be bargained & Sould, with the priviledges and appurtenances thereto belonging & all the estate, right, title, interest, use, prperty, possession, claim & demand what soever of him the said ffitz John Winthrop of in or to the same or any part or parcel thereof

TO HAVE & TO HOLD the said parcel of upland & meadow with in the same, & the before named meadow Easterly from the said upland & meadow, adjoining as it is bounded & lyeth recorded in the book of Records & described by ——ett with the priviledges & appurtenances thereto belonging vnto the said Job Lane his heirs & assigns To his & their owne prper use & behoof for ever. And the said ffitz John Winthrop for himself his heirs executors & administrators doth covenant promise & grant to & with the said Job Lane his heirs & assignes by these prsents in manner & form as followeth (that is to say) That he the said ffitz John Winthrop at the time of the grant, bargaine & Sale of the prmisses & untill the delivey here of unto the said Job Lane to the use of him his heirs & assignes for ever, was the true & rightfull owner of the above bargained prmisses, & that the same is free and clear & freely & clearly acquited & discharged of & from all and all manner of former & other gifts, grants, bargains, Sales, mortgages, leases & of & from all & singular other charges, Rents, titls, troubls, incumbrances & demands whatsoever had, made, done, or suffered to be done by the said ffitz John Winthrop or any other pson or psons whatsoever by his or their Act, means, default consent or p ur mt. And that the said ffitz John Winthrop his heires executors & administrators the said bargained prmisses & every part & parcel there of vnto the said Job Lane his heirs & assigns Against all & every pson & psons whatsoever lawfully claiming or to claim any estate, right, title or interest of in or to the same or any part or parcel thereof Shall & will warrant & forever defend by these prsent.

AND THAT the said Job Lane his heires & assigns the said bargained prmisses, priviledges & appurtenances thereto belonging. Shall & may from henceforth forever, Lawfully peaceably & quietly have, hold, use, profess, & . . . . . owne pper use without the let, Sute, trouble, molestation, denyall, contradiction, eviction? or disturbance of the said ffitz John Winthrop or any other pson or psons whatsoever claiming prtending to have any estate, right, title, interest, claim or demand whatsoever of in or to the same or any part thereof.

IN WITNESS whereof the said ffitz John Winthrop hath here vnto set his hand & Seale the day and yeare aboue written.

FITZ J. WINTHROP.

There is no evidence that the Winthrop Farm was occupied till bought by Job Lane. He owned a saw mill on the farm and built

a dwelling house on the eastern side of it. An ancient Lane house now standing and occupied as a family residence is situated on the rising point of land on the right hand side of the road about a mile and a half north from the junction of the main street of Bedford with the roads to Concord and Billerica. The Winthrop Purchase was estimated to contain 1260 acres and continued intact until the death of Mr. Lane in 1697, when it was divided among his heirs. In 1707 it was surveyed for the first time and found to contain 1500 acres.

Job Lane took a receipt from Thomas Butterfield, 10th 5mo., 1665. He bought from Joseph Rock, Feb. 29, 1666, the Thomas Coytmore mill in Malden and all the privileges attending it. This "corne-mill" was built as early as 1640. The dam flowed Spy Pond. The mill stood below at tide navigation to which the water was brought in canals or sluices.

Mr. Lane received as apprentice John Quinne from county of Cork, Ireland, who personally bound himself in June, 1666. He took as apprentice, June 5, 1667, Thomas Austin, who was transferred to him for seven years from his arrival in the ship Desire, May 9, 1667, by Capt. Rowland Bevans, to whom Austin's widowed mother had bound him Feb. 26, 1667.

Sale of slave Mercury:

"Know al men by these p'sents that I Jobe Lane of Malden in the covnty of midelsex in New Engld Carpenter, acknowledge my Selfe to be indebted vnto John Leuerett of Boston in the Covnty of Suffolke in the Massachvsets Collony in New Engld for a negro boy called mercury the sum of thirty povnds of Current money of new Engld the which svm I the sayd Jobe Lane p'mise to pay vnto the sayd Leuerett at his Now dvelling house in boston, or in other pay to his Content as for monney, or to his heyres execcvtors or assigns; for the trve performance of the same I doe hereby fyrmely bynd myselfe my heyres execcvors & assignes in the penalty of sixty povnds of like currant money. In witnes whereof I haue herevnto set my hand & seale this 12th day of Jvne 1667.

JOB LAINE."

[Sealed with a Pine tree shilling.]

Mr. Lane, "an able and honest artificer," contracted, Jan. 11, 1667-8, to build Great Bridge over Billerica river, the work to be completed before Sept. 29 following, and he to receive "seven

score and five pounds starling; ten in cash, ten in wheat, ten in malt and the remainder in corne and cattle."

Job Lane, for the sum of 155 pounds and other considerations for which he received a receipt in full June 6, 1668, bought of Jachin Reyner of Rowley New England, co-partner with his sister Anna Reyner wife of Job Laine, one-fourth part of housing and lands to which said Reyner was heir in his mother's right, situated in the townships of Edgeton and Welburne, Yorkshire, Eng., and occupied by Thomas Boyse. The Rev. John Reyner of Dover, N. H., as tenant for life, had conveyed one-half of the rents of this estate to his son Jachin Reynor, Aug. 7, 1660, and one-half to his son-in-law Job Laine, Aug. 5, 1662. Mr. Lane was charged by John Harwood with expenses in looking after the estates in England, June 24, 1673. His proposition, 1674, to the town of Billerica, "to abate him annually part of his dues to Mr. Whiting was propounded to the town, but not accepted." He was indebted to the estate of Joseph Hills of Malden, Oct. 5, 1674.

The Winthrop-Lane Farm lying remote from the settlements at Concord and Billerica was exposed to attack by the Indians during King Philip's War, 1675. "Job Lane is impressed," but was doubtless allowed to protect his own house.—*Billerica Records.* The 8th 8 mo., 1675, he was allowed to stockade his dwelling and be freed from fortifying other appointed garrisons, and empowered to keep a "watch" and examine persons as other watches may do. The 14th 8 mo., 1675, also Job Laine was authorized "to fortify his owne house and to have two soldiers for garrison—men to defend his house in case ye country could spare them."

Certificate of sale: "This may certify to all persons that I, Mary Lynden of Boston, do sell all my right in a boy called Torrey to Job Lane, given to me according to a County Court record, 1676.

MARY LYNDEN."

Torrey became a family name for the colored race in the Lane possession.

Mr. Lane was deputy for Billerica to the General Court Aug. 9, 1676, and in 1679; was selectman 1676, '7, '9–'81; was classed among the ten families under George Farley, tithingman, 8th 8mo.,

1677, whose duty it was "to examine the several families and see whether their children and servants were taught in the principles of religion;" took oath of fidelity to the state, 4th 12 mo., 1677; sold to W. Green Apr. 2, 1678, English estate received from Jachin Rayner, June 6, 1668; had family friends in the Parliament party, England, Sept. 26, 1678.

John Harvard devised half of his estate and his library of 300 volumes in 1638, as the foundation of Harvard College and the name Newtowne was changed to Cambridge in honor of the old English university town. It is related that when Charles Chauncy, president of Harvard college from Nov. 27, 1654, to Feb. 19, 1671-2, had sacrificed his own and his family's pecuniary prospects by his devotion to the college interests, he had an estate with £60 income given him by a Mr. Lane, probably a relation of Bristol, England. It is said that Job Lane erected one of the wooden college buildings. Old Harvard Hall was rebuilt of brick in 1672 by the contributions of the Colony at an expense of £1890. When the town of Billerica had paid a part of their subscription and wished to excuse their delay in forwarding the remainder, the selectmen appointed Mr. Lane, the 14th 8 mo., 1678, "to returne an answ^r^ to ye Hon^d^ generall Court vpon ye 18th day of this instant, in reference to our contribution to ye Colledge." He also "received 90 pounds for the colledg" Mar. 30, 1683.—*Mass. Records, 5: 393.*

Mr. Lane was taxed in Billerica, 1679, for two polls and assessed £2, 13s, more than any other man. He was notified by John Dickenson Apr. 1, 1679, that rents in England had been received for six years, 1673 to 1678. In 1680, he was one of the appraisers of the goods of his brother James Lane, deceased, of Casco Bay.

Job Lane's son John married in 1682, when Mr. Lane appears to have returned to his estate in Malden. Here he was selectman, 1683, '6, '7; took Robert Stuke apprentice for three years, July 1, 1685; was deputy from Malden, 1685 and '92. The pay of the representative to the Legislature in those days was derived from the town. Malden, May 19, 1686, "paid to Mr. Laine for debutys charges for the year '85, £1, 14s, 7d;" and at another time the same year for like service, £2, 5s, 6d. He was apportioned by

lot land in the commons of Malden, May, 1695; and bought real estate of J. Green, Aug. 7, 1695. He also bought out this year, some interest of Mrs. Martha, widow of John Coggan, in the mill built by her first husband Thomas Coytemore, brother-in-law of Gov. John Winthrop, which he bequeathed to his daughter Dorothy and her husband Edward Sprague.

Letters from England for Mr. Job Lane of Malden were to be left, Feb. 9, 1694-5 "at Mrs. Mary Ardells at her house in the Town Dock over against Mr. Thomas Clark, brazier, Boston." At this date William Ardell had a sister in England, viz. Mrs. Frances Thompson. He was a merchant in Boston, 1684, and sheriff of the Province of N. H., 1698.

Job Lane was a man of marked intelligence, great business capacity and commanding influence in church and colony. Late in life he became infirm through age and paralysis, so that important papers were signed by his initials only, J. L. His amanuensis was Rev. Jabez Fox of Woburn, who married Judith Reyner, half sister of Mrs. Lane. John Dickenson declined Apr. 7, 1695, to pay a draft presented by Mrs. Frances Thompson because the writing was different from Mr. Lane's usual hand. When Dickenson wrote about the matter, Apr. 16, 1695, Mr. Lane replied June 19, 1695:

"By reason of my weakness and other infirmity of old age attending me for the space of these six years past, I have wholly been incapacitated to do anything for you about that business which is above a hundred miles from me. . . . . By reason that I am lame in my right hand and have almost lost the use thereof, you may only expect my mark to my letters and bills for the future.

The mark of JOB *J. L.* LAINE.

Seal: a hand between three crescents."

Mr. Job Lane died at Malden, 23 Aug., 1697, aged 77 years. —*Tombstone.*

Will, signed Sept. 28, 1696, was presented for probate at Charlestown, Oct. 21, 1697.

"I Job Lain of malden In ye county of middlesex be in a comfortable mesure of health, of sound mind and perfect memory, Trough God's goodness

to me: not knowing how sune it may pleas God to take me out of this world, doe make and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner and form following:

first and principally I commit my soule into the hands of almighty God, As my father and deer Redemer: my body I commit to the Earth to be decently buried at the discretion of my executor and friends: and as Touching the disposing of all such temporall estate as it hath pleased God to bestow upon me I give and dispose thereof as followeth: first, I will that my just debts and funeral charges shall be paid and discharged. Itim I give unto my very Loving wife Annah ten pounds pr yeer yeerly and eury yeer In currant money of newingland to be paid her by my executor at her dweling hous so long as she continueth a widdo and in my name: but If my wife seath cause to marry again, then my will is that my executor shall pay her five pounds per year in money during her natural life.

Itim, I give unto my sonn John Lain all The land I have in Ingland In Yorksheer to him and his haires for ever: also I Give to my sonn John Lain Half my farme that Is within the bounds of billereca, with my dwelling hous he now lives in and outhousing and orchard and all ye upland he now improves, the rest of his part of upland shall be in that part which lyeth west: also baker's meddo and the delight meddo and the Swamp meddo at the upperend of crooked meddo and the west side of crooked meddo until he come to a point of upland that points over to a little Rocke Iland whare there is a hol like a well of water, and two acres of meddo further Reeching from side to side of said meddo: and the rest of his part of meddo to be proportionally in one meddo and in another,—all which I give to him & his haires for ever.

Itim, I give to my daughter Sarahs sonn Samuel fich one quarter part of my abouesaid farm at bilereca both meddo and upland with a dweling hous he now liveth in and a field fenced in and a little orchard and the east side of crooked meddo, and to the first dich neere the middle of the meddo, and so to run down to farlowes meddo: And from ye dich at the lower end of his orchard To baker's meddo & all the land eastward from his hous to the end of my line. And the rest of his proportion both of meddo and upland he shall have some in one place and sum in another. But if the said Samuel fich doe dy and leave no issue of his one body, then my will is that all that estate which I give him shall be equally divided to and amongst my surviving children, notwithstanding his wife shall have the improvement of the one half of the estate which I give him during her natural life: that lands which I give to Samuel fich I give it to him and his haires forever.

Itim, I give to my daughter Jemimas sonn Matthew whipple one quarter part of my said farm at bilereca, part of his upland to ly at a place comonly called the *two brothers*, and to come to a gutter that comes out of flage meddo, including flagge meddo and the Swamp meddo, to the two brothers: and the north end of crooked meddo all of it that is not already disposed of, the rest of his part both of upland and meddoe shall be where it may be most convenient for him: all which I give to him and his haires forever, but if the said

mathew whipple doe dy and leave no issue of his body, then my will is that all that estate which I give him shall be equally divided to and amongst my surviving children: notwithstanding his wife if he leaveth any shall have the improvement of the one half of that estate which I give him during her natural life.

Itim, I give unto the children of my daughter Mary Euery one third part of those two farms in malden both housing, upland and meddo now in the possession of John Chamberlain and Samuel Wait, and one quarter part of those lots latly laid out to me one ye land formerly malden common, to them and their haires forever.

Itim, I give unto my daughter Elizabeth Euerys children one third part of my two farms in malden both housing, upland and meddo now in the possession of John Chamberlain and Samuel Wait, and one quarter part of all lots lately laid out to me one the land formerly malden common to them and their haires forever.

Itim, I give unto the children of my daughter Annah Foster one third part of those my two farms in Malden both housing, upland and meddo now in the possession of John Chamberlain and Samuel Wait, and one quarter part of all those lots latly laid out to me one the land formerly malden common to them and their haires forever: further my will is that the fathers and mothers of these children last mentioned shall have the Improvement of this there estate untill they com to age and then ye said children to have there parts of said estates as they come to age when ye sons are twenty years old and ye daughters eighteen years of age.

Itim, I give unto my daughter dorety sprague the east end of my dweling hous I now liue In to the chimney from the bottom to ye top, with my mill and all my land adjoining, and my salt marsh and land adjoining thereto to her & her haires forever, and likewise the west end of my dwelling house I do give to her after my wife leaveth it: and if my daughter dorety doe dy and leave no issue of her body, then my will is that all that estate which I doe give her shall be equally divided to and amongst my surviving children, notwithstanding her husband shall have the improvement of the one half of the estate which I give her during his natural life.

Itim, I give unto my daughter Elizebeth Euery my best woosted Rugg and I give to her daughter Elizebeth one of my best peutar plattars and to her daughter Rachall one peutar platter.

Itim, I give to my son William Euerys daughter Mary one peutar plattar and to his daughter Sarah one peutar platter. I have already giuen to my daughter Elizebath Euery my bason In use.

Itim, I give to my daughter Anna foster one peutar platter.

Itim, I give to my daughter dorety my grate brass kittel she returning to her mother the kittel she now hath. Also I give to my daughter Dority one quarter part of my . . . .

Further my will is that my loving wife shall have one half part of the remaining part of my moveable estate during her natural life and that she shall

have the first choice when it is divided, and also my wife shall have all the wood in my home pasture for her own fireing excepting sufficient shade trees for cattle—the Rest of my moveable estate shall be divided equally amongst the children of my daughters Mary Euery, Elizabeth Euery, and Annah Foster, and also that part of estate which my wife leaveth at her deceas shall be equally divided amongst those last mentioned children: further my will is that all those my children and Grandchildren whom I have bequeathed my estate unto shall be posest of the same according to this my last will within two months after my deceas: further If my servant William Matthuwes continue a faithful servant during his terme acording to his Indentury I give him a good Cow.

Lastly I doe make null and void all other wills made by me and I do publish and declare this to be my last will. And I doe apoint & constitute my loving son John Lain to be sole executor to this my last will. In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the Twenty Eighth of September, 1696.

JOB LAINE.

Signed & sealed in presence of
John Greenland, John Green, John Linds, Samuel Sprague.

Charlestown, Oct. 21, 1697. By the Honble James Russell Esq.

Deacon John Greenleaf, Capt. John Green, Mr. John Lynde & Mr. Samuel Sprague prsonally appearing made oath that they were prsonally present and saw ye subscriber Job Lane dece sign and seal & heard him publish and declare the aboue and within written to be his last Will and Testament and yt when he so did he was of a disposing mind.

It is sworn to before me, Juratur Coram.

JA RUSSELL

Samll Phpps, Regr. —*Mid. Co. Wills.*

"Inventory of the Estate of Mr. Job Lane of Malden in ye County of Middx. in his Majts province of the Massachusetts Bay in New England, yeoman, both Real and personall, who deceased the 24th of August Anno Domini 1697.

Imps. To a ffarme of about twelve hundred Acres more or less in ye bounds of ye Township of Billerica in said county, consisting of vpland Swamps and medow lands with the fields, fences, orchard and buildings togather with about sixty acres of medow land in Billerica bounds about one mile to ye eastward of sd ffarme, altogether at

	s	d
£800,	00,	00

To the homestedd of the sd Lane in Malden aforsd viz one dwelling house, barne, corn mill, stream, dams and ponds with twenty two acres of salt medow below Lewis his bridge & one quarter part of his lotts in the comons of Malden at £225, 00, 00.

To two ffarmes or tenements in ye townshipp of Malden in the occupation of Thos Waite & John Mudg togather with twenty acres of very good salt marsh in Rumly Marsh near the sd ffarms and about eighty four acres of wood lotts

in the Comons, in all two hundred and sixty one acres together with the housings and said tenements and fenced in for ye most part with good stone wale, all disposed off in sd Mr. Lane's last will,— £913, 00, 00

To weering apparill and books,	10, 00, 00
To Arms and Amunition,	2, 10, 00
To plate,	5, 00, 00
To goods in ye parlor,	6, 00, 00
To goods in ye Kitchin,	13, 00, 00
To goods in ye sellar,	16, 00
To Carpenters tools & some other small tools,	3, 00, 00
To goods in ye East lower roome called ye bedroome,	12, 12, 00
To goods in ye Middle Chamber,	10, 09, 00
To goods in ye East Chamber,	7, 00, 00
To goods in ye West Chamber,	4, 07, 00
	£2013, 04, 00
To two horses and hors furniture & pr of fetters,	8, 11, 00
To Hay, Horned-beasts and Swine,	16, 16, 00
Errors Excepted, sume totall is,	£2038, 07, 00

Item, Ye lands in England given to Mr. John Lane in the will, ye value not known. Sept. 22, 1697.

A Przed pr JAMES CONVERSE
JOHN GREENLAND.

more of the above said estate:

Money at home £12, 10s, money out £5 & £3, in all, . . £20, 10, 00

The Above said estate indebted:

To Rates upon said estate,	£1, 01, 05
Due to Job Lane,	07, 06
To Funeral Charges, proueing ye will & prizing ye estate,	18, 06, 00
Debts,	£19, 14, 11

—*Mid. Co. Wills.*

The estates of Job Lane in Malden and Billerica have continued largely with his descendants through the successive generations. Moreover, from near the dates 1662 to 1816 inclusive, or above one hundred and fifty years, the Job Lane family received a yearly rental from the English estates—an instance wholly unparalleled in New England history.

Job Lane's first wife SARAH BOYCE, whom he married in England, 1647, died at Malden, Mass., 14th—19th 3 mo., 1659. *Malden Record.* He married again, 2d 7 mo., 1660, ANNA or HANNAH REYNER, she b. about 1632, daughter of Rev. John and —— (Boyse) Reyner. The Rev. John Reyner was a native of Gildersome, Yorkshire, Eng., and pastor at Plymouth, Mass., 1635 to 1654, and at Dover, N. H., 1655, to his death, 20 Apr., 1669. At Plymouth he was regarded as an able and godly man, of a meek and humble spirit, sound in the truth and every way unreprovable in his life and conversation. At Dover he was held in great esteem by his parishioners. A sister Alice m. first, —— Southworth; second, became 2d wife of Gov. Wm. Bradford. A son John became his father's colleague and successor in the pastorate at Dover. A daughter Elizabeth m. her cousin Capt. Thomas Southworth of Plymouth, Mass.

A letter addressed by Humphrey Rayner to his niece Hannah Rayner, March 1, 1651, refers to herself and brother Jachin Rayner: "I desire that you and he may now in your youth call upon one another as your father doth call upon you both, to know the Lord God of your fathers as you have good means and helps so to do, and it will be for your own comfort as well as ours especially when Death comes or age if you live unto it. Our hopes and prayers shall be unto God for the same."

Mrs. Hannah (Reyner) Lane was born in England, 1632, and died at Malden, 30 Ap., 1704, aged 72 years.—*Tombstone.*

Here Lyeth Buried
Ye Body of Job Lane
Aged 77 Years Died
August ye 23
1697

[Stone flaked away]

Ye Body
ane
Job
Lane Aged 72
Years Died
April ye 30th
1704.

HEADSTONE AT THE GRAVE OF JOB LANE, MALDEN, MASS.

Children of Job and Sarah (Boyse) Lane:

2. I. SARAH[2], bap. Dorchester, Mass., 28, 3, 1648, m. SAMUEL FITCH.

3. II. MARY[2], b. 1652, m. WILLIAM AVERY.

4. III. ELIZABETH[2], bap. Dorchester, Mass., 1655-6, m. ROBERT AVERY.

IV. REBEKAH[2], b. Apr., 1658, bap. Dorchester 4th 5 mo., 1658. Malden records say "b. Feb., 1658, d. 2 mo. 58 years."

Children of Job and Anna (Reyner) Lane:

5. V. JOHN[2], b. May, 1661. Malden record says "Oct., 1660." He was bap. in Dorchester, 18th 6 mo., 1661, "being about a quarter of a year old, by reason of their dwelling soe remote." m. SUSANNAH WHIPPLE.

VI. ANNA[2], b. 1 Sept., 1662, d. 28 Nov., 1662.

VII. ANNA[2], m. 7 Oct., 1680, by the Worshipful Humphrey Dina, Esq., JAMES, son of Hopestill and Mary (Bates) FOSTER; he b. Dorchester, 13 Apr., 1651, and d. 4 Oct., 1732. He had previously m. 22 Sept., 1674, Mary dau. of John Capen. Children of Anna (Lane) Foster are remembered in her father's will. She d. five days before her husband, 29 Sept., 1732, æ. 67 years. A child was:

1. *Thankful*, b. Dorchester, Mass.

VIII. JEMIMA[2], b. 19 Aug., 1666, m. MATTHEW WHIPPLE, son of William and Mary (Bartholemew) Whipple of Ipswich, Mass., and had:

1. *Matthew*, b. Ipswich, 20 Oct., 1685; inherited one fourth part of the Winthrop purchase, 375 acres at the "two brothers."

IX. DOROTHY[2], b. 24 July, 1669, m. 4 or 24 Nov., 1693, EDWARD SPRAGUE, son of John and Lydia (Goffe) Sprague of Malden, Mass. "John Sprague Is Chose Scool-master for ye yeer insuing To learn Children and youth to Read and wright and Refmetick according to his best Skill."—*Malden Records, Mar. 4, 1702.*

Mrs. Dorothy (Lane) Sprague inherited the Coytmore mill in Malden. Her brother John Lane released to Edward Sprague,

Feb. 9, 1704-5, interest in estate of her father, "particularly to all that corne-mill in Malden now is possession of said Edward Sprague, with all the fences, banks, ponds, dams, ditches, sluices, runs, streams and water courses thereto belonging, with all and euery the privileges thereto, within the townships of Malden and Charlestown."

"Here lyes entr'd
ye Body of Capt
Edward Sprague
who Decest ye
14 of April 1715
Aged 52 years.
Here lyes Buried
ye Body of Mrs
Dorothy Sprague
ye widow of Cap.
Edward Sprague
Died March ye 29
1727 in ye 58th
year of her age."

—*Malden tombstones.*

They had children:

1. *William*, b. 4 Sept., 1695.
2. *Ann*, b. 20 Mar., 1697.
3. *Dorothy*, b. 9 Sept., 1698.

X. REBECCA[2], b. 6 April, 1674.

2.

SAMUEL FITCH[2] (Zachariah[1]), was b. in Reading now Wakefield, Mass., 6 Mar., 1645. His father Zachariah Fitch was a grantee and freeman of Lynn, Mass., in 1638; removed to "Lynn Village," incorporated Reading, May 29, 1644, where he and sons Benjamin[2] and Jeremiah[2] were among the first settlers, where probably he built the first house in Fitch Lane, resided on Fitch Hill and was deacon of the First Church gathered Nov. 5, 1645.

"Upon the western slope or pitch,
There lived old Zachary Fitch;
His name he gave to hill and lane.
A name they both as yet retain."

—*Lilley Eaton, 1844.*

Dea. Fitch d. 9 June, 1662. His will dated May 3, 1662, mentions, wife Mary, sons Joseph, Benjamin, John, Jeremiah, Thomas and Samuel and daughter Sarah, who m. John Wesson of Salem, Mass. His estate was appraised £431, 7s., 6d.

Samuel Fitch[2], by his father's will, was to be assisted by his brothers Joseph and Benjamin "to build a house on his lot on Bear Hill, 27 by 18 feet with 12-foot posts, and to clapboard and board it, and break up his land or so much of it as can be done by the time he becomes 22 years of age." He m. first, 23 Apr., 1673, SARAH LANE; she bap. Dorchester, Mass., 28, 3, 1648, and d. 2 Oct., 1679, dau. of Job and Sarah (Boyse) Lane. He m. second, 26 July, 1681, Rebecca Merriam, and d. 6 July, 1684, leaving son *Samuel*[3], to whom he gave, by will June 27, 1684, real estate, and "on cow, the feather-bed that was his mother's, and the green rug and on pair of Holland sheets and three of the biggest peuter platters." "If my brother Avery [Robert] doth take my son Samuel and teach him to wright and the trade of a smith my will is that he shall live with him till 20 years old." Estate appraisal, £235, 3d., 11s. Other children were:

Job[3], b. Nov., 1676, d. same day. *Sarah*[3], d. 25 Mar., 1680.

I. SAMUEL[3], b. 4 May, 1674, received real and personal estate by his father's will, June 27, 1684; inherited from his grandfather Job Lane's will, Sept. 28, 1696, one quarter part of the Winthrop purchase, 375 acres, "both meddo and upland with a dweling hous he now liveth in." Here at "Brook Side," he became the head of the Fitch family in Bedford. He was soldier in the company of his uncle Major John Lane to Dunstable, Mass., in 1706, and first town clerk of Bedford, 1729–31, 1733–37. Samuel Fitch was chosen, Oct. 13, 1729, "to tacke cear of the Bond and the Deed, for the Town, of the Training Field or common." He m. first, 20 Mar., 1696, ELIZABETH WALKER, and had eight children by her; m. second, EUNICE TAYLOR by whom he had one child and d. 4 Apr., 1742. His will was dated Nov. 13, 1741.

1. *Benjamin*[4], b. 30 July, 1703, bought the Michael Bacon mill on Shawshine river; m. 28 Feb., 1732, Miriam Gray of Andover, Mass., and d. 7 July, 1770. The homestead and mill descended to his son David[5], a soldier at Concord Fight, grandson David[6] and great grandson Nathan[7] the last of the Fitch family to follow the business of milling.

2. *John*[4], b. 12 Feb., 1707-8, who settled in Lunenburg, Mass., at its incorporation in 1728, where his family was captured by the Indians in 1749, and who gave his name to Fitchburg, Mass., at its incorporation Feb. 3, 1764.

3. *Jeremiah*[4], succeeded his father on the homestead at Brookside; m. *Elizabeth* Lane (John[3-2], Job[1]).

4. *Dachariah*[4], b. 13 Feb., 1712. The town paid "Sept. 15, 1777, Zech. Fitch, For hiering soldiers, 10—0—0." He m. 1 Oct., 1733, *Elizabeth Grimes* of Lexington, Mass., and located on the Pine Grove Farm in Bedford. Fourteen children: Son William[5], b. 19 Feb., 1735-6, was killed in the French War. Daughter Elizabeth[5], b. 6 Jan., 1738, m. Samuel Lane[4], (John[3-2], Job[1]). Son Ebenezer[5], b. 5 Aug., 1751, was sergeant of Bedford minute men, April 19, 1775, and lieutenant in the second campaign of 1775. The town, 1783, "voted to abate Ebenezer Fitch's rates for being in the service in 1775." He removed to Rindge, N. H., in 1779.

3.

WILLIAM AVERY[2] (William[1]), bap. at Barkham, England, 27 Oct., 1647, son of Dr. William and Margaret Avery who settled in Dedham, Mass., about 1650. He was a blacksmith by trade and a deacon in the church at Dedham; m. first, 21 Sept., 1673, MARY LANE[2], b. 1652, dau. of Job[1] and Sarah (Boyce) Lané, d. 11 Oct., 1681, æ. 29 years, her broken tombstone still standing in Dedham.

Dea. William Avery m. second, 29 Aug., 1682, ELIZABETH WHITE who had five children and d. 3 Oct., 1690; m. third, 25 Aug., 1698, MEHITABLE, widow of Samuel WORDEN and dau. of Gov. Thomas Hinckley by whom he had no children.

Children of Dea. William and Mary (Lane) Avery:

I. MARY[3], b. 21 Aug., 1674, is mentioned in her grandfather Job Lane's will, m. 13 Oct., 1698, ELEAZER FISHER.

II. SARAH[3], b. 9 Oct., 1675, m. first, 24 Nov., 1696, THOMAS METCALF; m. second, Dea. JOSEPH WRIGHT of Dedham, and d. 28 June, 1748.

III. CAPT. WILLIAM[3], b. 31 Mar., 1678, m. first, 26 June, 1700, ESTHER HUNTINGTON who d. in Dedham, 13 May, 1750.

IV. HANNAH[3], b. 7 Jan., 1679–80, m. 15 Jan., 1700, JONATHAN METCALF; he b. Dedham, 16 Mar., 1676. They removed to Lebanon, Conn., and were the great, great, great, grandparents of Edward H. Pardee, Esq., of New York City, a subscriber for the Lane Genealogy.—*Avery Genealogy.*

4.

ROBERT AVERY[2] (William[1]), bap. at Barkham, England, 7 Dec., 1649, brother of Dea. William Avery who m. Mary Lane[2] (Job[1]), settled in Dedham, Mass.

"Robert II son of Dr. William Avery of Dedham, b. about 1649, m. ELIZABETH LANE, April 13, 1676. He d. Oct., 1722, in ye 73[d] year of his age. She d. Oct. 2, 1746, in ye 91st year of her age, leaving five children, thirty grandchildren, fifty-two great-grandchildren and two of the fifth generation."—*Memorial in King's Chapel, Boston.*

Their children were:

I. ELIZABETH[3], b. 21 Dec., 1677, is mentioned in her grandfather Job Lane's will, m. 6 Aug., 1697, WILLIAM BULLARD of Dedham and d. 28 Jan., 1746-7. He was b. 19 May, 1673, and d. 9 Feb., 1746-7.

II. RACHEL[3], b. 7 Sept., 1679, is mentioned in Job Lane's will, m. 14 May, 1702, MICHAEL DWIGHT of Dedham, son of Capt. Timothy and Ann (Flint) Dwight. She d. in 1775, æ. 96 years.

III. ROBERT[3], b. 28 Nov., 1681, was killed, 21 Aug., 1723, by a falling tree.

IV. JOHN[3], b. 26 Feb., 1683-4.

V. JOHN[3], b. 4 Feb., 1685-6, m. 23 Nov., 1710, RUTH LITTLE, dau. of Ephraim Little and great granddaughter of Richard Warren who came over in the Mayflower. He graduated at Harvard College in 1706, was ordained the first minister of Truro, Mass., Nov., 1711, and d. 25 Apr., 1754.

VI. JONATHAN[3], b. 20 Jan., 1694-5, m. 1 Feb., 1721-2, LYDIA HEALEY.

VII. ABIGAIL[3], b. 8 May, 1697, m. 5 June, 1722, JOHN RICHARDS of Dedham.

5.

MAJOR JOHN LANE[2] (Job[1]), 1661–1715, born Malden, Mass., May, 1661, was a leading citizen of Billerica, Mass., where

he was rated Aug. 24, 1688, "1 p'son & estate, 13s. 2d." the highest tax on the list. He was made freeman April 18, 1690; selectman 1693,'6–1704,'9, eleven years; committee to seat the meeting house, 1694, and the same year a highway was laid out from the "Concord Road" to his place; inherited by his father's will Sept. 28, 1696, "all the lands I have in England in Yorkshire, also one-half of my estate in Billerica," 750 acres of the Winthrop Purchase; received a letter from John Whipple his father-in-law to which his wife's mother, E. Whipple, added a postscript; wrote to his "loving kinsman," probably John Dickenson, England, Mar. 23, 1697-8, that his father had died 23 Aug., previous, and that the bills in favor of Mrs. Frances Thompson were right.

John Lane and four other residents of Billerica petitioned the Mass. General Court, Nov. 17, 1698, to preserve intact their former grant of about sixty years since, against encroachments of Concord and Chelmsford. He was representative, and with others purchased real estate of S. Manning in 1702; with others who had purchased lands in Billerica but were not original proprietors, he appealed to the General Court, May 30, 1705, for a part in the division of common lands. General Court, Nov. 16, 1705, ordered: "That Capt. John Lane [and others] be entitled to have a proportionable share with other commoners, Proprietors and Inhabitants of s^d^ Town in all future divisions of undivided and waste lands." Joseph D——, wrote him from Gildersome, England, Mar. 14, 1708, that one Sampson, an attorney, had claimed the tithes on J. Lane's estate; he sold real estate to E. Sprague, June 4, 1708, and the same year was allotted 127 acres of land; with others he sold land to S. Manning, July 7, 1710.

Mr. Lane was an officer in the militia and very active in the Indian alarms before and after 1700, respecting which many papers have been preserved. In the history of these Indian wars, his name comes into view as the leading military man in town. He was Lieutenant in command of the Billerica troop in King Williams war, 1693. Order addressed by Thomas Hinchman, Sergeant Major, to Lieutenant John Lane of Billerica Aug. 23, 1693: "To Left. Jno Lane of Billerica. By virtue of an order from the honor^bl^ Lt Govern^r^ bearing date 22 Aug., 1693, these are in his Majisty's

name to require you forthwith to Impress eight troopers out of yor troop und^r yor Command, well appointed with arms and ammunition for his Majistys service, four of which are to be daily Imployed as a Scout about yor Town, especially towards the great swamp; the other foure you are also to send to me upon moon-day morning Next: You are also to send to me the names of all the sold^rs imprest who are to enter into sarvice on said moonday. Wreof you may not fail. Given und^r my hand this 22 August, 1693.

TH^O HINCHMAN,

Sur. major."

—*Lane Papers.*

Billerica sustained a second Indian masacre Aug. 5, 1695, when fifteen persons were killed or captured. "The family of John Levistone suffered most severely. His mother-in-law, and five young children were killed and his eldest daughter captured."—*Farmer and Moore.*

Lieut. Lane received this order from Maj. Jonathan Tyng of Dunstable.

"DUNSTABLE, August 14, 1696.

CAPT. LANE.

Indian Enemy above Pick Pocket Mills at Exeter bending their course Westward. From Andover also I have advise, also of two men being murdered and scalped by the Indian Enemy. You are required to order ye one half of your Troops to be in a readiness always and at a minutes warning if possible with three days provision, so to go & give &c."

Again February 12, 1696-7: "Having advice from the Lt. Governor that at the Spring near approaching it may be expected that the enemy will make fresh attacks both by sea and land, I do therefore order that you make inquiry into the state of ye troopers under your command, and see that every one of them be mounted on a good serviceable horse for war, and furnished with a good, well-fitted carbine besides pistolls, and to see that the whole troop be in Readiness to pass upon duty: and in case of alarum upon * * * Discovering the approach of the enemy by sea, you are hereby ordered with the several Troopers under your command

forthwith to repair to the post or place within your county where the Alarum is first given, there to receive and attend to further orders, etc." JONATHAN TYNG, maj^r."

—*Lane Papers.*

Lt. John Lane had acted on a committee to build a bridge over Concord river and received compensation for his service from the Court of Sessions, Mar. 20, 1699. He was commissioned Captain of the Billerica Troops by Richard Earl of Bellomont, Oct. 4, 1699.

Queen Anne's War is seen approaching in the order from Maj. Tyng to Capt. John Lane, Apr. 22, 1702, requiring him "forthwith to take effectual care that there be strict execution of the Act for regulating of ye Malitia & especially to inspect the forces and men duly provided with arms and ammunition."

Order from Major Tyng to Capt. Lane, June 23, 1702. His command to be "under necessary precaution against Indian surprise, and to send me with all possible speed a true list of the names of your officers and private soldiers in the Troop under your command. I also pray that your self & your Comsion officers give me a meeting at Concord to meet the next day after Concord Court meet by adjournment."—*Lane Papers.*

Gov. Joseph Dudley in the following letter, evidently knows personally and puts great confidence in Capt. John Lane, who is acting as a regimental officer.

"CAMBRIDGE, 5, NOV., 1702.

SIR:

I desire you with two of your troops to repayr to the towns of Marlboro', Lancaster, Groten, Chelmsford and Dunstable, and there deliver severally the letters given you, and encourage the officers in their duty, agreeable to the several Directions. You are also to labor by all means, to speak with Wotanummon and the Penacooke men, and to assure them of the friendship with the Gouernor and all the English; but that we are fearful the french Indians will be amongst them soon and do mischief to the English, and that therefore we must have our scouts out, and if they will come and reside in any proper place near the English, they shall

be welcome; if their hunting will not allow that, they must keep a good Distance from the English towns, and send one man only to Colonel Tyng when they would speak with me, and they shall be welcome at all times, and I will never depart from my friendship to them if they will continue friends. Let the officers in the several towns use all prudence not to make the first breach, and let me hear from them on every ocation."—*Lane Papers.*

Another Order from Col. Jonathan Tyng to Capt. John Lane, Sept. 3, 1703.

"These are to order you forthwith to give out your warrant to your soldiers in Chelmsford to watch, Two in a night and the day following, at the wading place at Wamesit; and to continue in that service till they have gone Round. The soldiers are to keep at the said wading place till they are relieved, as the custom hath been by Capt. Bower's men."—*Lane Papers.*

Capt Lane's command with twelve Billerica soldiers went to the defense of Lancaster when attacked, July 31, 1704. He has preserved some names for us: Samuel Hill coporal, John Needham clerk, Ralph Hill, John Farmer, Samuel Hunt, Andrew Richardson, Thomas Ross, Stephen Richardson. Others were sent Aug. 4, 1704, with two days' provisions to reinforce Major Taylor. He led twenty soldiers to Groton, Dunstable and Dracut, Aug. 11 to 13, 1704. He led twenty-nine troopers, two days with sustenance, to relieve Dunstable, July 4, 1706. "A list of the names of the troopers which served under my Command to the relief of Dunstable July the fourth seventeen hundred and six, Being 29 men two days with their subsistence." [Six of the twenty-nine men were from the Bedford side of ancient Billerica. Viz.: Samuel Fitch, Josiah Bacon, Nathaniel Page, Nathaniel Bacon, Benjamin Bacon, Josiah Fassett.] "Anno 1708. Muster Roll of the Company in Her Majesties service under the command of John Lane Captain, viz. of a troop subsisting 36 and 19 men. These nineteen last named were sent out by Order from his Excelency, August ye fourth 1704 with ten days provision, and marched to Lancaster to in force Major Taylor &c." Among the fifteen scouts that "went the rouns with Mager Lane" in 1706, were his sons Job Lane and John Lane.

Twenty-six Billerica soldiers each gave the following receipt:

"Bilracy, September 18, 1708. Reseved of Capt. John Lane the sum of eight pounds, three shillings and six pence; i say reseved by me for the solgers that bilary unto Chelmsford and Groton.

JAMES DUTTON and others."

Capt. John Lane received his commission as Major in the West Regiment of Horse and Foot from Gov. Joseph Dudley June 23, 1711. He is also said to have been Colonel of Massachusetts Militia and died in military service.—*Society of Colonial Wars.*

Major John Lane m. 20 Mar., 1681-2, at Salem, Mass., before Bartholemew Gidney, Esq., SUSANNA WHIPPLE, dau. of Capt. John Whipple and his first wife Martha, dau. of Humphrey and Mary Reynor of Ipswich, Mass. Major and Mrs. Lane were second cousins. She d. 4 Aug., 1713, æ. about 51 years. He d. 17 Jan., 1714–15.

Copy: "Received of Mr. Job Lane of Billerica ye sum of ten pounds, at twice, for Gloves for ye funeral of his father. I say received by me. BENJ. FITCH.

Boston, June 24, 1715."

The Lanes had an inherent love for martial life and were military men. Bedford early recognized the services of the following officers and soldiers:

1675, King Philips War, Job[1] Lane.

1688 to 1698, King Williams War, Lieut. John Lane[2].

1703–1713, Queen Anne's War, Capt. Major John Lane[2], Job Lane[3].

1745–1748, Lieut. John Lane.

1775–1783, War of Independence. Capt. John Moore's Bedford Militia Co., Apr. 19, 1775: David Lane fifer, James Lane, Jr., Samuel Lane, Ziba Lane, John Lane, Samuel Lane, Jr., John Lane, Jr., Solomon Lane, Stephen Lane, Job Lane, wounded at Concord. In the Continental army, Job Lane, Timothy Lane.

1807–1812, Last War, Capt. Lane.

Maj. John Lane of Billerica, gentleman, died intestate. His sons Job Lane and John Lane were admitted to administer on his estate and gave bond accordingly, Feb. 4, 1714–15. The estate

was appraised Feb. 15, 1715, and the inventory was exhibited June 24, 1715.

"Real estate,	£1197, 12, 0
Personal estate,	266, 16, 5
Total,	1464, 8, 5

Exclusive of rents in England."

Mr. Lane had received the annual income of the English estates in goods to his order from John Dickenson through John Love and Metcalf, merchants in London, shipped to Henry Dearing a trading house in Boston. The English law of primogeniture was not transferred to America. New England adopted the older common-law and all the children shared alike, except that the elder son had a double portion. The heirs settled the estate among themselves, Mar. 26, 1718, and the division was approved, July 2, 1718.

"To Job Lane the homestead that was his father's, 166 acres &c.
To John Lane 130 acres &c.
To James Lane 208 acres &c.
To Nathaniel Page 28 acres &c.
To John Whitmore 28 acres, also 65 acres &c.
To James Minot 210 pounds.

Note: Whereas it not being specified in the writing for Each of us to have an equil share in the estate in england, we doe all mutually agree to it & for the Eldest son his double part.
Signed & Sealed March 26, 1718."

When the inhabitants of the Winthrop Farms petitioned in 1725 for a separate parish, they were not successful at first, but were soon incorporated as the town of Bedford, Sept. 23, 1729. At the first town meeting Oct. 6, 1729, the family of Col. John Lane was represented in office by his nephew Samuel Fitch, town clerk and selectman, by his son-in-law Nathaniel Page, selectman, his son Job Lane, surveyor, and his son John Lane, sealer of weights and measures. Many oaks from the Winthrop-Lane farm were sacrificed to build the strong frame of the first meeting house in 1730, and the worm-eaten timbers may now be seen in the second house. The

oak standing in 1899 at the corner of Concord and Billerica streets in Bedford is called the Winthrop Oak.

Children of John and Susanna (Whipple) Lane, five sons and four daughters:

6. I. SUSANNA[3], b. 24 Jan., 1682-3, m. NATHANIEL PAGE, JR.

II. JOB[3], b. 19 Nov., 1684, d. 7 Feb., 1684-5.

7. III. MARY[3], b. 15 May, 1686, m. JOHN WHITMORE.

IV. JEMIMA[3], b. 27 June, 1688, d. 10 July, 1688.

8. V. JOB[3], b. 22 June, 1689, m. MARTHA RUGGLES and MARY WELLINGTON.

9. VI. JOHN[3], b. 20 Oct., 1691, m. KATHERINE WHITING and HANNAH ABBOTT.

VII. MARTHA[3], b. 1 Oct., 1694, m. 14 Nov., 1716, Hon. JAMES MINOT[5] (James[4], John[3], George[2], Thomas[1]), of Concord, Mass., and d. 18 Jan., 1735, æ. 41 years. He received property in the division of John Lane's estate, 1718, was schoolmaster, military officer above 30 years, justice of the peace; selectman, 1727-8, 35-'6, 40, '7, '9; representative, 1733, '8, 41-'4; member of the King's council, and d. at Concord, 6 Feb., 1759, æ. 64 years. Children:

1. *John.* 2. *Rebecca*, b. 15 May, 1720, d. 8 Oct., 1761. 3. *James.*

"Mr Benja Prescott Junr of Salem & Mrs Rebecca Minot of Concord, July 4, 1741."—*Publishments, Salem, Mass.*

They were m. 12 Aug., 1741.

Rev. Benjamin Prescott, Jr., of Salem Village, b. 29 Jan., 1717, d. 18 Aug., 1778, graduated Harvard College, 1736, resided Salem and had eight children, of whom Rebecca, b. 20 May, 1742, d. 19 April, 1813, m. Hon. Roger Sherman of New Haven, Conn.; he b. at Newton, Mass., d. in New Haven, Conn., 23 July, 1793.

10. VIII. JAMES[3], b. 12 Aug., 1696, m. MARTHA MINOT, CHARITY WELLINGTON, ABIGAIL FARNUM and ABIGAIL MERRIAM.

IX. JOSEPH[3], b. 18 Feb., 1698-9, and d. before 1715.

6.

NATHANIEL PAGE, JR.[2], b. in England, 1679, m. first 6 Nov., 1701, SUSANNA LANE, dau. of Col. John and Susanna (Whipple) Lane; she b. in Billerica, Mass., 24 Feb., 1682-3, and d. 2 Sept., 1746, æ. 63 years. He m. second, MARY GRIMES and d. 2 Mar., 1755, æ. 75 years.

Nathaniel Page, Senior[1], came from England in 1684; was a citizen of Roxbury, Mass., 1686, and early appointed by Gov. Joseph Dudley, sheriff or marshal of Suffolk Co.; purchased the Grimes estate of 500 acres at Shawshine in Billerica, now Bedford, Mass., in 1687, a part of a grant from the Colonial Court to Edward Oaks and sold by him, in 1661. The house Nathaniel Page[1] built has sheltered eight generations of the family and name, including many brave warriors and prominent men of the town. The spirit of patriotism was cradled in that dwelling as in but few others. For fully two centuries it has preserved in it a colonial banner, originally designed in England and early accepted as a standard of the organized militia of Massachusetts. Its design represents an extended arm incased in mail, grasping a sword, and the motto in Latin, "Conquer or die." In 1885 this most precious relic was presented to the custody of the trustees of Bedford Free Public Library.

Nathaniel Page, Senior, d. 12 Apr., 1692. Had wife Joanna ——.

Nathaniel Page, Jr.[2], succeeded his father on the Bedford homestead. He also received a patrimony of 28 acres from the estate of John Lane his father-in-law. He was one of Major John Lane's troopers in 1706, and trumpeter in Queen Anne's war, 1703–1713.

Children of Nathaniel and Susanna (Lane) Page:

I. NATHANIEL[3], b. 4 Sept., 1702. Cornet Nathaniel Page was credited, Jan. 20, 1730, with "gift of money to incouragement for the town" of Bedford in the year 1729; was chosen selectman at Bedford's first town meeting, Sept. 26, 1729, a "foundation member" of the Bedford church, July 15, 1730, his pew was in the front on the east end of the great door in the meeting house, paid

$88.00, Oct. 15, 1734. He m. HANNAH BLANCHARD, who d. in 1763. He d. 6 Apr., 1779, æ. 76 years.

"Death from all death has set us free,
And will our gain forever be;
Death loosed the rusty chain of woe,
To let the mournful captives free."

Their son *Thomas*[4], b. 5 May, 1733, m. 1 Jan., 1756, *Anna Merriam*, who d. 10 July, 1810, and gave by will to the church in Bedford a silver flagon that cost $140.00, and also the foundation ot the Page and Hartwell Fund. Another son *William*[4], b. 19 Feb., 1737-8, soldier in Capt. John Moore's Co. of militia at the Concord fight, Apr. 19, 1775, gave the first hearse to the town of Bedford and made other public bequests. Another son *David*[4], b, 4 Apr., 1740, was known as "King David" because of his lordly manner and customary continental costume.

II. JOHN[3], b. 11 Oct., 1704, had three wives, REBECCA WHEELER, AMITTAI FASSETT, RACHEL FITCH, and d. 18 Feb., 1782. He was a man of great stature and physical strength, held a commission as cornet, from Jonathan Belcher, provincial governor, 1737, and in the Lexington Fight aided in capturing six regulars. He was also at the battle of Bunker Hill, June 17, 1775.

His son *Ebenezer*[4], b. 3 June, 1737, m. 21 Feb., 1760, *Dorothy* (Pollard) *Fassett* and their daughter Anna[5], b. 29 Sept., 1760, m. Benjamin Lane[5], (John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]). Another son *Timothy*[4], b. 11 June, 1741, m. *Margaret Wellington*, served in the war of Independence from the opening scene at Concord Fight until his death at the battle of White Plains, N. Y., Oct. 28, 1776. Another son *Nathaniel*[4], b. 20 June, 1742, was an energetic patriot and color-bearer of the Bedford minute men in 1775. He m. 10 Dec., 1774, *Sarah Brown*, she b. 24 Mar., 1747, and d. 22 Aug., 1839. A messenger sent out by Paul Revere alarmed the family in the night of April 18, 1775. Leaving his young wife and babe of a few hours, Cornet Page bore the colonial emblem that had been carried by his ancestors in former wars, at the head of the Bedford minute men, through the heat and struggle of the memorable Fight, Apr. 19, 1775. He d. 31 July, 1819. The color-bearer's daughter Ruhamah[5], b. 1 May, 1788, m. Jonathan Lane[6], (Jonathan[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]).

III. CHRISTOPHER[3], b. 16 July, 1707, "foundation member" of the Bedford church, July 15, 1730. He was sergeant with Thompson Maxwell in an expedition eastward, 1758, in the last French and Indian war of 1754 to 1763. He m. Susan (Whitmore) Webber and d. 11 Nov., 1786. She d. 20 July, 1796. Several children d. of "throat distemper."

"March 26, 1754, Lucy Page, aged 2 years.
March 28, 1754, Susanna Page, aged 3 yrs., 2 ms., 20 dys.
Apr. 7, 1754, John Page, aged 5 yrs., 10 ms., 7 dys."

Son *Christopher*[4], b. 29 Oct., 1743, m. 21 Feb., 1760, *Dorothy* (Fassett) *Pollard*, and second, *Susannah Simonds*. He was sergeant in the Bedford militia, Concord Fight, Apr. 19, 1775, lieutenant 1779, captain 1780, and his name is seen in various campaigns until the close of the struggle for Independence. Town records: "March ye 7th 1777. To Christopher Page Jnr. For Sarveces making Rates, 0—6—8. Feb. 13, 1778. To Christopher Page Jnr. hireing soldiers, 11—13—0." He led a large company against Shay's Rebellion 1786, and the town voted in the following year "to pay each man who went to Concord and Stow to join General Lincoln six shillings per day."

IV. SUSANNA[3], b. 29 Apr., 1711, m. SAMUEL BRIDGE of Lexington, Mass., who d. in 1836.

V. JOANNA[3], b. 29 Oct., 1714, m. JOSIAH FASSETT, tithingman, 1729–30, "foundation member" of the Bedford church July 15, 1730, ensign in an expedition to the eastward, French and Indian war of 1754 to 1763. Capt. Fassett d. 18 Feb., 1740. Their daughter Susanna m. Job Lane[4], (Job[3], John[2], Job[1]).

7.

JOHN WHITMORE[3], of Medford, Mass., m. MARY LANE[3], (John[2], Job[1]); she b. in Billerica 15 May, 1686. He was b. 27 Aug., 1683, son of Dea. John[2] and Rachel (Eliot) Whitmore and grandson of Francis and Isabel (Parker) Whitmore, an early settler of Cambridge, Mass. Mr. Whitmore received real estate in the division of John Lane's estate, 1718.—*W. H. Whitmore.*

Bedford, Jan. 20, 1730, he was "credited with gifts of money to incouragement for the town in the year 1729." He was town clerk of Bedford 1746–48.

The distinguished heroism of Mary Lane is related in the following story told by Leander Hosmer her grandson. During a period of Indian alarm in Queen Anne's war, the Lane family was left in the garrison with only one soldier on guard. A certain stump of a tree excited the suspicion of Mary Lane as she looked out of the window in the roof and she called upon the guard to shoot it. But he declined to do it and laughed at her apprehensions. At length she told him that if he would not shoot, she should take the

gun and open fire herself. She then seized the gun and discharged it; and she saw the stump roll into sight, a dead Indian!

Mr. Whitmore d. 26 Mar., 1753. Mrs. Whitmore d. 27 Mar., 1783, æ. 96 years.

They had six children:

I. MARY[4], b. 17 July, 1707.

II. SUSANNA[4], b. 25 Nov., 1708, m. first, 6 Sept., 1727, BENJAMIN WEBBER and had,

1. *Susanna*, b. 21 Mar., 1728, d. 2 Apr., 1743.
2. *Martha*, b. 2 Aug., 1729, m. *John Hosmer* of Medford, Mass.
3. *Benjamin*, b. 14 Feb., 1731.
4. *John*, b. 25 Nov., 1732, m. *Sarah Fassett* and *Susanna* (Symonds) *Page*.

Mrs. Susanna (Whitmore) Webber m. second, CHRISTOPHER PAGE, son of Nathaniel and Susanna (Lane) Page.

III. JOHN[4], b. 15 Apr., 1711, m. MARTHA LANE[4], (Job[3], John[2], Job[1]) and d. 5 Oct., 1748.

IV. FRANCIS[4], b. 4 Oct., 1714, d. 7 Apr., 1794; m. 1 Jan., 1739, MARY HALE, b. 1712, d. 21 Oct., 1791; ancestors of Hon. William H. Whitmore of Boston, Mass.

V. MARTHA[4], b. 22 Apr., 1716, m. JOHN SKINNER.

VI. WILLIAM[4], b. 19 Dec., 1725, m. 1 Oct., 1747, MARY BROOKS and d. 10 Mar., 1760.

8.

DEA. JOB LANE[3] (John[2], Job[1]), 1689–1762, was b. in Billerica, Mass., and lived on the old homestead. He was on the "Indian scout that went the rouns with Mager Lane," his father, in 1706; was commissioned Lieutenant of Troops, by Gov. William Dummer, Apr. 16, 1734; was appointed by the inhabitants of Winthrop Farm, in 1725, to the General Court, to obtain for them the regular enjoyment of public worship; selectman of Billerica, 1726, 1727, where he was connected with the church; was chosen surveyor at the first town meeting in Bedford, Oct. 6, 1729; was credited Jan. 20, 1730, for subscription in money toward building

the meeting house in 1729; original member of the church at its organization, July 15, 1730; received "pue on the north side of the meeting house goyning to the menistral pue," Oct. 18, 1734; elected deacon, Feb. 9, 1737-8 and retained the office until his death, 9 Aug., 1762.

With wife Martha he and others sold real estate to J. Winslow, Apr. 30, 1719, to W. Merriam, Apr. 12, 1720, to S. Woodbridge and others, Sept. 23, 1725.

Together they signed an agreement among the heirs of Capt. Samuel Ruggles of Roxbury, Mass., Mar. 17, 1724-5, and petitioned that the estate be divided, Oct. 1, 1730. He and others, heirs of the late Samuel Ruggles, petitioned, June 20, 1748, for a division of land in Hardwick, Mass., 1-10 belonging to Job Lane in the right of his wife Martha, deceased.

Probably he was the Job Lane, grantor of real estate to T. Sprague, Jan. 20, 1730, to ——, June 21, 1746, to J. Lane, Dec. 26, 1748, to C. Paige, Feb. 7, 1749, to N. Bowes, May 3, 1756, to B. Kidder, May 29, 1758. He was probably grantee, Oct. 21, 1737, June 21, 1746.

Job Lane and Mary Lane his wife and John Lane, Esq., and others, all of Bedford and Billerica, sold to Josiah Richardson for 61—10—0, Feb. 23, 1749, two tracts of land in Lancaster, Co. of Worcester, containing by estimation about 205 acres—said land was laid out on the Right of John Whiting late of said Lancaster, as recorded in Lancaster Town Book of records, Nov. 20, 1723.

Bedford Tax List, North Part, 1748, contained the following Lane names: Dea. Job Lane, Col. John Lane, Capt. James Lane, John Lane, Jr., Job Lane, Jr., John Lane, 3d, Timothy Lane.

The "English Right" was of great assistance to the beneficiaries for several generations. A fragmentary correspondence, consisting of scores of letters, orders and bills passed between the English custodians and Job Lane, is among the interesting papers treasured in Bedford. The annual remittance was sometimes made in merchandise at the request of the owners. Dress goods were often ordered and received. Some Bedford ladies appeared on important occasions attired in English gowns. The arrival of the large leather covered trunks were events of great interest. The

legal claimants became very numerous, and the town did not fail to tax the annuities. During the Revolution the income was not received, but after peace was declared, the full amount came in one remittance.—*A. E. Brown.*

The Lane brothers Job and John received a bond from John Love and Mr. Metcalf, Feb. 17, 1717, and the English rents henceforth were distributed among the heirs under the style of Job and John Lane.

Order: "May 2, 1721. St. Stephen, Sende 6 large quarto bibles."

Copy: "To Job and John Lane.

LONDON, July 24, 1723.

LANE GENTLEMEN,—

I have received your letter by Capt. Osborne, date 3d May, with one enclosed for Wm. Dickinson which I immediately forward to him, and as soon as he sends me your money I shall forthwith make return in such goods as you have ordered, directing them to Mr. Henry Deering of Boston.

with the tender of due respects, I remain gentlemen

your ready servant,

ST STEVENS."

Tax: "1744. Voted not to abate the Rates that the Lanes and Pages, gentlemen, were assessed for their income from England."

Bill: "July 26, 1748. Zach. Bourryan Sends Matthew Henry's Exposition on ye Bible, 5 and 6 vols."

Letter: Dated "London Mar. 20, 1754, to Job & John Lane, expresses regret that the Bibles did not suit." One of these Bibles has been placed by Miss Sarah Chandler of Lexington in the care of the Historical Society of Bedford.

Rate: "Feb. 23, 1756. Widow French's rates abated for income at England."

The early assignees of money and goods in America died, but the style of Job and John Lane was continued.

Notice: "List of Letters remaining in the Post Office at Salem, January 6, 1784. Jobe & John Lane, Bever, 2."

Order for goods: "Bedford, September the 16, 1785. Mr. Lane, this is to Inform you what Articles I am Desirous to send to England for.

Art. Frst one Pice of Chents for one gound, Very Dark.

Art. 2^{d} one Pice of Sattain for one Cloak.

Art. 3^{d} One half Pice of Base.

Art. 4th one yard & three-quarters of Scarlet Brod Cloth.

Art. 5th one Silk Handkerchief.

Art. 6th the Rest in fine Linnen.

In So Doing you will oblige,

CHRYT. PAGE."

Job Lane, Jr^{d}., gave power of attorney to William Dickenson, 1791, to collect rents in England. The house and barn at Gildersome were burned in 1792, and again in 1795.

Dea. Job Lane m. first, 17 Dec., 1713, MARTHA RUGGLES, dau. of Capt. Samuel and Martha (Woodbury) Ruggles and sister of Rev. Samuel Ruggles of Billerica; she of Roxbury, Mass., b. 1 Feb., 1791-2, d. 14 Sept., 1740, in the 49th year of her age; m. second, MRS. MARY WELLINGTON, whom he mentions in a will, Feb. 15, 1753, and who died 11 Dec., 1783. The will also mentions sons Job, John, Timothy and Benjamin, and daus. Martha Adams, Mary Hill and Lucy Lane.

Dea. Job Lane d. 9 Aug., 1762, in the 74th year of his age. His last will was signed Aug. 1, 1762, and presented for probate, Oct. 25, 1762. Bequests were made to wife, to sons Job, John and Timothy, to daus. Martha Adams, Mary Hill and Lucy Stearns, and to grandson John Lane. "My Income from England which shall be Due at my Decease, I would have equally divided between all my children." The three sons Job Lane, John Lane and Timothy Lane were named as executors, who gave bond Oct. 25, 1762. The estate was settled, Feb. 1, 1763, and return made, Sept. 14, 1763.

The will of Mary Lane of Bedford, widow, was dated, Oct. 3, 1782, and presented for probate, Mar. 4, 1784. Bequests to daughter Mary Lane, to sons Oliver Lane, James Lane, Solomon Lane, David Lane and Isaac Lane; grandsons Oliver Lane and

James Lane were named sole executors. Inventory ordered Mar. 11, taken Apr. 6, lodged Apr. 14, exhibited May 5, 1784.

Children of Dea. Job and Martha Ruggles Lane:

I. MARTHA[4], b. 22 June, 1716, m. first, 30 Dec., 1736, JOHN WHITMORE; he b. 15 Apr., 1811, son of John and Mary (Lane[3]) Whitmore (John[2], Job[1]). He was town treasurer 1743, and town clerk of Bedford, 1746 to his death, 5 Oct., 1748, æ. 37 years. Mrs. Whitmore m. second, 10 Dec., 1751, NATHANIEL ADAMS of Worcester, Mass. Children of John and Martha (Lane) Whitmore died of the Throat Distemper:

1. *John*, b. 23 Oct., 1737, d. 29 Aug., 1743, æ. 5 yrs., 10 ms., 7 dys. 2. *William*, b. 17 Mar., 1738-9, d. 11 Sept., 1745, æ. 4 yrs., 5 ms., 24 dys. 3. *Ebenezer*, b 1 Jan., 1740-1, d. 2 Aug., 1743, æ. 2 yrs., 7 ms., 23 ds. 4. *Martha*, b. 30 Sept., 1742, d. 17 Apr., 1750, æ. 7 yrs., 6 ms., 18 dys. 5. *Mary*, b. 2 May, 1744. 6. *Lucy*, b. 8 Nov., 1745, d. 16 Feb., 1750, æ. 4 yrs., 3 ms., 8 ds. 7. *Susanna*, b. 16 July, 1747, d. 4 Mar., 1750, æ. 2 yrs., 6 ms., 18 ds. 8. *John*, b. 13 June, 1749, d. 21 Feb., 1750, æ. 8 ms., 8 ds.

11. II. JOB[4], b. 27 Sept., 1718, m. SUSANNA FASSETT and ELIZABETH STICKNEY.

12. III. JOHN[4], b. 2 Oct., 1720, m. RUTH BOWMAN and SARAH HILDRETH.

13. IV. TIMOTHY[4], b. 10 July, 1722, m. LYDIA DAVIS.

14. V. MARY[4], b. 24 Feb., 1724-5, m. JONATHAN HILL.

VI. WHIPPLE[4], b. 15 Sept., 1727, d. 4 Oct., 1728, æ. 1 yr., 1 mo.

VII. BENJAMIN[4], b. 29 Aug., 1729, d. 25 Jan., 1754, in the 25th year of his age.

VIII. LUCY[4], b. 3 May, 1732, m. 20 Dec., 1759, Capt. ELIJAH STEARNS[5] (Isaac[4,3], John[2], Isaac[1]), b. Billerica, 1735, settled in Rutland, Mass., and d. 3 Oct., 1801. She d. 4 Aug., 1793. Their son.

1. Capt. *Josiah*, b. 18 June, 1769, m. 28 Jan., 1795, *Ruth Hunt* of Milton, N. H., and settled in Leominister, Mass.

IX. HANNAH[4], twin, b. 22 Sept., 1733, d. 27 Dec., 1733, æ. 3 ms., 5 ds.

X. SARAH[4], twin, b. 22 Sept., 1733, d. 4 Oct., 1733, æ. 12 ds.

XI. ANNA[4], b. 31 Aug., 1735, d. 8 Sept., 1735.

9.

JOHN LANE[3] (John[2], Job[1]), 1691–1763, was born in Billerica, Mass., 20 Oct., 1691. He settled on the Winthrop Farm and probably built the house taken down about 1850, of four inch oak walls and flooring; was member of a scout that "went the rouns with Mager Lane", his father, in 1706; was commissioned to succeed his father as captain in 1711 and later as major by Gov. Joseph Dudley, and was styled "colonel" by courtesy.

Capt. John Lane gave a bond to his cousin Matthew Whipple of Ipswich, Mass., Sept. 9, 1714; was grantee in the transfer of real estate from R. Hill, Feb. 25, 1724, from B. Farley, Feb. 25, 1724, from others, Apr. 9, 1728, Nov. 5, 1730, Nov. 10, 1741, Apr. 16, 1750, Nov. 30, 1757, and grantor to M. Whipple, Jan. 7, 1717, to others, Aug. 29, 1720, Apr. 9, 1728, to E. Chearnly, June 23, 1729, to W. Bulfinch, Aug. 1, 1737, to J. Danforth, Apr. 16, 1750, to J. Lane, Jr., Oct. 10, 1763.

John Lane, Esq., of Bedford, Job Lane and Mary Lane his wife, and others conveyed to Josiah Richardson for 61 pounds, 10 shillings, Feb. 23, 1749, 205 acres of land in Lancaster, laid out to the right of Mr. John Whiting late of Lancaster, and recorded in Lancaster town book, Nov. 20, 1723. John Lane and others quit claim to Joseph Wilder, Jr., for 13 pounds, 15 shillings, Apr. 4, 1749, all right to common land in Lancaster belonging to the Right of Rev. John Whiting, Jan. 7, 1740. With others he quit claim in favor of Joseph Wilder, Jr., Apr. 4, 1749, for 15 pounds in good and payable money, all right to 200 acres of common land, it being that granted to Rev. Mr. John Whiting of Lancaster, Apr. 14, 1741.—*Wor. Co. Deeds.*

Capt. John Lane was chosen sealer of weights and measures at the first town meeting in Bedford, Oct. 6, 1729; was credited with

subscription of money in the year 1729, toward erecting the meeting house and other expenses of incorporation, Jan. 20, 1730; was connected with the church in Billerica and a "foundation member" of the church in Bedford at its organization, July 15, 1730.

"Oct. ye 18, 1734. Capt. John Lane's pue is on the south side of the meeting house next west from the south door goying to Thomas Woolleys pue."

Dec. 17, 1739. "Major John Lane chosen for service of Deer reeve, sworn to the faithful discharge of the trust."

He was allowed to work out his rate on the way between his house and the County Road, 1745; was taxed in the north part of Bedford, 1748.

"Colonel" Lane was a man of great influence in Bedford, prominent in military affairs and had slaves in the early wars, but had freed them before the war of Independence.

Died Aug. 3, 1749, "Domire a negro boy who belonged to Mr. John Lane." Baptized "Torrey, a negro man, January ye 12, 1751-2." Copy: "To Mr. Harrison gray, treasurer for the province of Massachusetts bay, Sir, be pleased to give Mr. Moses Abbott the bearer hereof, all the wages that is due me for my negro man torrey more, being in the county service in the year 1757, under capt^e peaser till he goot to the casel and then went to Crown point under capt. elinglesh, or give me an order to Mr. Moses abbott consteble of bedford, and this receipt shall be your discharge, and you will oblige your humble servant.

JOHN LANE."

Col. Lane was assessed in 1761, for his "negro man's ministers rate, 2s, 6d."

Copy: "March ye 23, 1761. Col. John Lane gave a bond to Stephen Davis, Town Treasurer, to save and indemnify the town of Bedford from any charge that may arise by reason of his negro man being set free."

Col. John Lane m. first, 31 Dec., 1715, KATHERINE WHITING[3] (Samuel[2], Rev. Samuel[1], the first pastor of Billerica); she d. 1 Apr., 1731, æ. 39 years, her tombstone the oldest in Bedford. He m. second, 16 Mar., 1732, by Rev. Samuel Phillips, HANNAH

ABBOT[3] (Timothy[2] and Hannah Graves, George[1] from Yorkshire, England, and Hannah Chandler); she b. Andover, Mass., 8 Oct., 1695, was "spinster," living in Andover, 1730; and d. in Bedford, 22 Apr., 1769, in her 74th year. He d. 23 Sept., 1763, æ. 72 yrs.

"While I lye buried deep in dust,
My flesh shall be Thy care;
These withering limbs with Thee I trust,
To raise them strong and fair."

—*Tombstone.*

His will signed April 1, 1761, proved Oct. 24, 1763, mentions "estate in Old England," "pew in meeting house," "my Great Bible." Bequests to wife Hannah Lane, sons John Lane and Samuel Lane, daughters Elizabeth Fitch, Katherine Bacon, Susannah Davis. Inventory ordered Nov. 1, taken Nov. 2, 1763; amount £310, 17s, 4d. Estate settled by agreement of heirs and account allowed May 10, 1780.

Children:

I. ELIZABETH[4], b. 14 Oct., 1716, m. 3 Feb., 1735-6, JEREMIAH FITCH[4]; he b. Bedford, Mass., 13 Feb., 1712, son of Samuel and Sarah (Lane) Fitch[3] (Samuel[2], Zachariah[1]); inherited Brookside homestead, paying legacies to the other children. The farm remained in the Fitch possession about 125 years. The church in Bedford sang the Psalms and, in 1773, "voted to bring in Doct. Watts' versions and to have Messrs. Jeremiah Fitch and James Wright sett in the fore seat in the front gallery, as they are appointed to begin the Psalm or tune."

Children; four of their five sons served in the war of Independence:

1. *Samuel*[5], b. 9 Nov., 1736. 2. *Elizabeth*[5], b. 24 Dec., 1738, d. young. 3. *Jeremiah*[5], b. 25 Sept., 1742, received abatement of town and highway rates, 1763, in recognition of services rendered in the time of troubles with the French." He bought in 1766, the Stone Croft farm, the oldest homestead in the village of Bedford, where he built a tavern and hastily entertained the Bedford minute men on the morning of Apr. 19, 1775. He was sergeant in Capt. John Moore's militia company on that memorable day. "Sept. 15, 1777, Jeremiah Fetch Jnr. For hiering soldiers, 6—13—4." He m. 19 Apr., 1770, *Lydia Smith* of Waltham, Mass., had eight children and d. 29 Dec., 1808, æ. 66 yrs., 3 ms., 2 ds. His eldest son Jeremiah[6] succeeded him in possession of the Fitch tavern in Bedford, became an eminent merchant in Boston and

efficient in official circles of the city; caused the cannon ball which struck the Brattle Street church during the siege of Boston and then did duty for many years as a weight on the front gate of a neighboring residence, to be imbedded in the church edifice where it long remained; gave to the old church of 1817 in Bedford, a bell he had imported with a clock and pulpit Bible, and donated to the newly formed Trinitarian Congregational society of Nov. 8, 1832, the land on which to build their meeting house.

4. *John*[5], b. 14 Aug., 1745, soldier in the Concord Fight, d. 31 May, 1820.

5. *Matthew*[5], twin, b. 14 Aug., 1745, m. 25 Aug., 1774, *Lydia Lane*[5] (Job[4.3], John[2], Job[1]), and d. 3 Aug., 1811.

6. *Joanna*[5], b. 29 Feb., 1747-8, m. *Benjamin Tidd* of Lexington, Mass.

7. *Pattie*[5], b. 14 July, 1750.

8. *Elizabeth*[5], b. 7 Aug., 1752, d. 1 Mar., 1825.

9. *Moses*[5], b. 3 Mar., 1755, a soldier in the Concord Fight and wounded at the battle of White Plains, bought of John Lane and occupied a portion of the Job Lane possessions; m. 14 Nov., 1782, *Rachel Stearns*[6] (Edward[5], John[4.3.2], Isaac[1]).

Gifts to the Pastor, memoranda by Rev. Samuel Stearns:

"1797, June 5. Mr. Fitch 1 doz eggs.
" June 16. Mr. Fitch 2 lbs butter.
" July 26th. Mrs. Fitch 2 lbs butter."

Moses Fitch had seven children and d. 12 Oct., 1825, æ. 71 years.

Memorial, window in Trinitarian Congregational church, Bedford, of which he was Deacon from Jan. 10, 1805, till his death,—a gift of their descendants.

15. II. KATHERINE[4], b. 24 June, 1717, m. BENJAMIN BACON.

III. SUSANNA[4], b. 8 Apr., 1720, m. 16 Jan., 1741, NATHANIEL DAVIS of Rutland, Vt.

16. IV. John[4], b. 1 July, 1722, m. MARTHA FLAGG.

V. MATTHEW[4], b. 10 July, 1724, d. 5 Aug., 1741, æ. 17 years.

VI. SAMUEL[4], b. 15 Apr., 1727, d. 1 Apr., 1734, in his 7th year.

By second wife:

VII. HANNAH[4], b. 16 May, 1734, d. 24 June, 1741, æ. 7 yrs., 1 mo.

17. VIII. SAMUEL 2d[4], b. 21 Oct., 1737, m. ELIZABETH FITCH.

IX. MATTHEW[4], b. 5 Aug., 1741.

10.

CAPT. JAMES LANE[3] (John[2], Job[1]), 1696-1783, was born in Billerica, Mass., 12 Aug., 1696. He settled on a portion of the Winthrop purchase, where five generations of the name Lane were born. Oliver J. Lane[7] built the present house.

In 1718, a highway was laid out from Shawshine bridge to Concord river near James Lane's house. In 1729, he subscribed towards erecting the meeting house and the expense of incorporation of Bedford, Mass., for which he received credit, Jan. 20, 1730. "James Lanes pue, Oct. ye 18, 1734, is the 2[d] pue from the grat door in the front joyning to Nathaniel paiges pue." The selectmen, Sept. 9, 1743, made bounds to the highway leading from Billerica to Concord, beginning at James Lane's. The same year the road from Benjamin Kidder's to Ensign James Lane's was laid out.

James Lane was taxed in the North Part of Bedford, Mass., 1748,—was grantor of real estate to N. Page, Jr., Feb. 10, 1755, to J. Lane, Jr., May 3, 1756, to I. Putney, Feb. 29, 1764.

He freed his slave and gave bond that he should not become a town charge in 1764. In order to give freedom to a slave, a citizen was obliged to give bonds that the freed person should not become a public charge.

Capt. Lane m. first, 19 Jan., 1719, MARTHA[5], dau. of Dr. James and Rebecca (Wheeler) MINOT[4] (John[3], George[2], Thomas[1]); she b. Concord, Mass., 31 Apr., 1699, and d. 3 July, 1762, æ. 63 years. He m. second, 9 Aug., 1763, CHARITY WELLINGTON of Cambridge, Mass., who d. 16 Dec., 1764, æ. 70 years, and Jonathan Stone of Watertown, Mass., was appointed administrator on the estate of his mother "Cherry Lane" of Bedford, Jan. 29, 1765. He m. third, by Rev. Henry Cummings, 22 May, 1766, MRS. ABIGAIL FARNUM of Billerica, who d. 25 Feb., 1773, in her 77th year. She was b. 13 June, 1697, dau. of Ebenezer Johnson[3] (William[2], Edward[1]), of Woburn, Mass., and wid. of Oliver Farnum of Billerica. He m. fourth by Rev. Joseph Penniman, 20 Jan., 1774, MRS. ABIGAIL, wid. of Lieut. John MERRIAM, nee Howard. She had ten children by Lieut. Mer-

riam, who d. 20 Sept., 1767, æ. 67 years, leaving her by will, Aug. 11, 1767, "my negro servant named Abraham to be at her own disposal agreeable to the term of his service."

Mrs. Lane died 5 Nov., 1793, æ. 83 years. Capt. James Lane died 11 Apr., 1783, æ. 86 ys., 8 ms.

Epitaph:

"Death, steady to his purpose, from ye womb
Pursues, till we are driven to the tomb.
O reader, wisely lay this thought to heart,
And seek an interest in the better part;
Then when you close in death your mortal eyes,
Your soul may rise and reign above the skies."

The will of Capt. James Lane of Bedford, gentleman, signed and sealed, Dec. 1, 1773, was consented to by Abigail Lane, May 6th, and presented for probate, May 14, 1783. Bequests were made to sons James, Jonathan and Samuel, to daus. Martha Dutton and Rebecca Hutchinson, to grandson Solomon Lane and to executors James Lane and Samuel Lane; "all my estate in Old England, pew in Bedford meeting House, etc." Executors gave bonds, May 14, 1783, and took receipts for portions of estate from Rebeckah Hutchinson and Martha Dutton, May 10, 1784.

Children by first marriage:

I. MARTHA[4], b. 17 Mar., 1721-2, m. 19 Aug., 1740, SAMUEL DUTTON and had:

1. *Pattie*, b. 10 Apr., 1742, m. 13 Dec., 1764, *David Pollard*.
2. *Samuel*, b. 11 July, 1743.
3. *Hannah*, b. 21 Apr., 1745.
4. *Seth*, b. 9 Apr., 1747.

II. REBECCA[4], b. 29 Oct., 1723, d. 24 May, 1814, m. 31 July, 1750, Benjamin Hutchinson, Jr., and had:

1. *Molly*, b. 2 Aug., 1751. 2. *Susanna*, b. 8 Aug., 1754. 3. *John*, b. 29 June, 1757. 4. *Betty*, b. 20 Jan., 1760. 5. *Rebecca*, b. 10 Feb., 1762. 6. *Sarah*, b. 9 Nov., 1765.

18. III. JAMES[4], b. 8 Mar., 1725-6, m. MARY WELLINGTON.

IV. LOVE[4], b. 8 Jan., 1728-9, d. 3 Aug., 1735, æ. 7 ys.

V. MERCY[4], b. 24 Dec., 1730, d. 4 Mar., 1736-7, æ. 6 ys., 2 ms.

VI. JONATHAN[4], mentioned in his father's will.

VII. DAVID[4], b. 17 Mar., 1733-4, grad. H. C., 1753, A. M., 1754, "deceased abroad"; Shattuck says, died in the French War, 29 Dec., 1756, æ. 22 ys., 9 ms., 12 ds.

VIII. SUSANNA[4], b. 18 Jan., 1735-6, d. 24 Feb., 1749–50, æ. 14 yrs., 37 ds.

19. IX. SAMUEL[4], b. 11 July, 1737, m. RUTH DAVIS, HANNAH FRENCH and FRANCES BLOOD.

X. STEPHEN[4], d. 4 July, 1740.

11.

JOB LANE, JR.[4] (Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1718–1796, b. 27 Sept., 1718; subscribed towards building the meeting house in Bedford, Jan. 20, 1730, was taxed in the North Part, 1748. He was grantee in real estate transactions June 24, 1746, June 18, 1747, July 13, 1747, Apr. 28, 1778, and grantor to B. Kinsman, Mar. 13, 1749, to C. Page, Mar. 31, 1755, to T. Lane, Oct. 25, 1765, to J. Wingate, Mar. 7, 1769, to O. Pollard, Feb. 22, 1792, to S. Lane, Oct. 4, 1794. Mr. Lane left home at the midnight alarm Apr. 19, 1775, and joined the Minute Men under Capt. Jonathan Wilson in front of the Jeremiah Fitch tavern. After refreshments, the brave captain said to his men: "We give you a cold breakfast, boys, but will give the British a hot dinner; we will have every dog of them before night." They were joined by the militia company under Capt. John Moore. Seventy-seven Bedford men were among the first on the ground at Concord. They engaged in removing the military stores and were in the fight at the old North Bridge. In pursuit of the British across the Great Fields past Merriam's Corner toward Lexington, Capt. Wilson was killed near Brook's Tavern, and Mr. Lane was severely wounded. The ball entered his side and lodged in his hip, where it remained, causing lameness during his life. Lord Percy said: "We never saw anything equal to the intrepidity of the New England minute men." Return of Minute Men, May 15, 1775: "Job Lane, Jr., wounded at Concord, April 19 . . . . in service one day." Return of Militia Co. under Capt.

John Moore, Apr. 3, 1776: "Job Lane, Jr., wounded at Concord, travelled ten miles, in service one day." The town of Bedford voted Jan., 1779, "to abate half of Job Lane's war rates in consideration of his wounds received at Concord fight;" and in 1780, voted "to abate Job Lane's poll rates for every year since the war began." Again Jan. 22, 1782, "voted Job Lane, Jr., fourteen pounds in specie for his services in the army in 1776."

Town orders: "March 7, 1777, To Mr. Job Lane For Wood to Jabez Russell, £0, 5s, 0d." "March ye 7th, 1777 to Mr. Job Lane For Wood to Jabez Russell, 5—0—0."

Job Lane, Jr., m. first, 29 Jan., 1746-7, by Rev. Nicholas Bowes, SUSANNA, dau. of Capt. Josiah and Joannah (Page) FASSETT, who was b. 29 Mar., 1725, and d. 24 Mar., 1775, æ. 50 years; m. second, 15 Jan., 1777, by Rev. Joseph Penniman, ELIZABETH STICKNEY of Bedford. He d. 11 June, 1796, æ. 78 years. His will, signed 17 May, 1793, was proved 20 Sept., 1796. Exr., son Luke Lane. Inv. ordered 16 Mar., 1797, taken 12 Nov., 1798, returned 14 Nov., 1798, amount $1245.26. Bequests to wife Elizabeth Lane. son Luke Lane, daus. Susannah Richardson, Lydia Fitch, Sarah Grifen, Hannah Bacon, Ammitta Bacon, Molly Lane, Bethia Webber and Fannie Lane, a minor.

Children:

I. SUSANNAH[5], b. 21 Dec., 1747, m. first, 1 May, 1766, DANIEL DAVIS, Jr.[4] (Daniel[3], Samuel[2], Dolor[1]), m. second, 23 Nov., 1790, EBENEZER RICHARDSON of Billerica for his sixth wife. She had by first husband:

1. *Susanna*, b. 6 Nov., 1767, m. 8 June, 1789, *Josiah Hill* of Bedford, and d. 15 Feb., 1818.
2. *Sally*, b. Harvard, m. —— *Brooks* of Lincoln.
3. *Lydia*, m. *Nehemiah Flint* of Concord.
4. *Loruhamah*, m. *John Hill* of Billerica.

II. LYDIA[5], b. 13 Aug., 1749, m. 25 Aug., 1774, MATTHEW FITCH, b. 14 Aug., 1745, son of Jeremiah and Elizabeth (Lane) Fitch.

III. SARAH[5], b. 15 Dec., 1751, m. 26 Nov., 1778, SAMUEL GILSON of Bedford.

IV. HANNAH[5], b. 31 Jan., 1754, m. 6 May, 1779, JOHN BACON, and had

1. *Hannah*, b. 11 Dec., 1779, d. 27 Sept., 1823.

V. JOB[5], b. 13 June, 1756, was in Capt. John Moore's company of militia at Concord Fight, Apr. 19, 1775, was styled Ensign, purchased estate, 28 Apr., 1778, d. 22 Dec., 1788, æ. 32 yrs., 6 ms. Adm. on his estate was granted to Job Lane with James Lane as security, Sept. 11, 1789, and an inventory was returned Dec. 30, 1789.

VI. AMITTAI[5], b. 9 Feb., 1759, m. first, ELIJAH BACON, son of Dea. Benjamin and Catherine (Lane) Bacon, who was in Jonathan Wilson's company of minute men at the Concord Fight, Apr. 19, 1775, and was paid $25, Jan. 22, 1782, for hiring soldiers for the army in 1777, and d. in 1788; m. second, 31 Dec., 1789, BENJAMIN BACON, brother of Elijah. Benjamin Bacon, by marriage with his brother Elijah's widow, became owner of the whole Bacon estate in Bedford. The homestead was formerly a part of the grant of 500 acres on Shawshine river to Rev. Joseph Mitchell of Cambridge. Michael Bacon[3] (Michael[2,1]) first leased and then purchased it of the widow Mitchell in July, 1682, for 200 pounds.—*Bacon Homestead.*

VII. MOLLY[5], b. 14 June, 1761, m. 11 Oct., 1781, DAVID LANE[5] (James[4,3], John[2], Job[1]), and d. 12 Dec., 1820.

VIII. BETHIA[5], b. 1 Feb., 1764, d. 8 Aug., 1834; m. 15 Dec., 1785, JOHN WEBBER, Jr. of Bedford, b. 31 Dec., 1760, d. 11 Dec., 1846, grandson of Benj. and Susannah (Whitmore) Webber. Their children:

1. *Amittai*, b. 31 Aug., 1789, m. 25 June, 1808, *Zebedee Simonds* of Bedford and d. 20 Feb., 1853.
2. *Bethia Lane*, b. 16 Aug. 1799; m. 3 Feb., 1825, *Benjamin Reed*[7], who at one time was assessed the largest tax in Lexington, (Hammond[6,5], Wm.[4,3], Geo.[2], Wm.[1]).

20. IX. LUKE[5], b. 29 Sept., 1768, m. HANNAH CROSBY.

By second wife:

X. FANNIE[5], b. 24 May, 1781.

12.

JOHN LANE, 2d[4] (Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1720–1789, was b. in Billerica, Mass., 2 Oct., 1720, settled on a portion of the Job Lane estate. He was taxed in the north part of Bedford, Mass., 1748; was grantee in transfer of real estate from J. Lane, Dec. 26, 1748, from same, Oct. 10, 1763, from ——, Oct. 25, 1765.

John Lane of Bedford paid Caleb Dana of Cambridge, Mass., 40 pounds lawful money, Nov. 10, 1768, for land in Ashburnham, Mass., lot No. 1, Division 2, and also part of Lot 12 in same division. In presence of John Lane, 3d, He paid Elizabeth Clapp of Sudbury, Mass., widow and administratrix of Joel Clapp, 40 pounds, Aug. 6, 1771, for 108 acres of land in Ashburnham, bounded by land of said John Lane. John Lane and Sarah his wife, for "the love I bear my son Francis Lane," conveyed to him 50 acres of land in Ashburnham, Mar. 9, 1773. John Lane and wife Sarah Lane, for "love to my son Benjamin Lane" conveyed to him, Apr. 16, 1775, 108 acres of land in Ashburnham.—*Worcester Co. Deeds.*

John Lane was returned, Apr. 3, 1776, on the pay roll of Capt. John Moore's company of militia which had acted as minute men in the Concord Fight, Apr. 19, 1775, travelling 26 miles and in service 6 days. Bedford treasurer's account: 1778, Feb. 13. "To John Lane For Hireing soldiers. 10—10—0."

The dwelling house which he built about 1750 stood upon the rising point of land on the right hand side of the road from Bedford to Billerica, a little beyond the old house reputed to be the Job Lane house, within the boundaries of the estate originally secured by Job Lane. This house was occupied by his descendants till totally destroyed by fire with many family records and relics, Mar. 1, 1847.

John Lane, 2d, m. first, 13 Feb., 1745-6, by Rev. Nicholas Bowes, RUTH BOWMAN; she b. Lexington, Mass., 23 Dec., 1723, and d. 13 Aug., 1759, in the 36th year of her age, dau. of John and Mary (Stone) Bowman.

He m. second, 28 May, 1761, MRS. SARAH HILDRETH, née Abbott; she b. Andover, Mass., 27 Apr., 1726. He d. 7 Dec., 1789, in his 70th year.

Epitaph :

"A span is all that we can boast,
An inch or two of time;
Man is but vanity and dust,
In all his flower and prime.
My days are spent, my race is run,
Remember me though dead and gone;
Cease my beloved to complain,
My sleeping dust shall rise again."

Agreement in settlement of estate between widow Sarah Lane and sons, Feb. 11, 1791.

The Pastor's Tithing. Mem. by Rev. Samuel Stearns :

"July 26, 1797. One cheese from the Widow Lane.

From September to Thanksgiving, Widow Lane, 2 lbs butter."

Mrs. Lane m. third, Mr. Parker, and died his widow, 5 Mar., 1814, æ. 88 years.

Epitaph :

"Vain world farewell to you,
Heaven's my native air;
I bid my friends a short adieu,
Impatient to be there."

Children by first wife :

21. I. JOHN[5], b. 7 Dec., 1746, m. RUHANNAH REED.

II. FRANCIS[5], b. 18 Sept., 1748, d. 23 Feb., 1749–50, æ. 1 yr., 5 ms.

22. III. FRANCIS[5], b. 31 Aug., 1750, m. HEPSIBAH COOLIDGE and SARAH BURR.

IV. RUTH[5], b. 8 Apr., 1752, m. 9 Dec., 1772, JOHN WHITNEY of Littleton, Mass., res. Rindge, N. H.

23. V. BENJAMIN[5], b. 17 Mar., 1754, m. ANNA PAGE and ISABEL HILL.

24. VI. ZIBA[5], b. 5 July, 1756, m. LYDIA DANFORTH.

VII. ESTHER[5] b. 1 Mar., 1758, m. 25 Sept., 1778, JOSEPH CROSBY of Amherst, N. H., res. Jaffrey, N. H.

By second marriage :

VIII. JOSIAH[5], b. 25 Feb., 1762, d. 5 Mar., 1762, æ. 18 ds.

25. IX. JONATHAN[5], b. 15 Oct., 1763, m. HANNAH LANE.

X. SARAH[5], b. 1 Oct., 1765, m. 1 Nov., 1787, TIMOTHY STEARNS[6] (Isaac[5], John[4,3,2], Isaac[1]). His father, Hon. Isaac Stearns[5], a soldier in the French war, magistrate and distinguished citizen of Billerica, m. 11 Feb., 1748, Sarah, dau. of Obed and Elizabeth Abbott of Bedford, who d. 9 Jan., 1815; he d. 23 Mar., 1808. John Stearns[4], b. 25 Nov., 1686, d. in Maine, æ. 86 yrs.; m. Esther Johnson, dau. of Edward of Woburn, Mass., granddaughter of William Johnson, Esq., and great granddaughter of Capt. Edward Johnson, author of *Wonder Working Providence of Zion's Savior in New England.* John Stearns[3], b. "2d week" May, 1654, the first or second child born in Billerica, Mass., m. first, Elizabeth Bigelow of Watertown, Mass., who d. 18 Apr., 1694; m. second, Joanna, widow of Jacob Parker and dau. of Thomas Call of Malden, Mass.; he d. 26 Oct., 1728; she d. 4 Dec., 1737. John Stearns[2], b. Watertown, Mass., 1631, was a purchaser of the Dep. Gov. Dudley farm and became one of the earliest inhabitants of Billerica. A southwest portion of the Dudley purchase, bounded by Concord river and the Gov. John Winthrop farm, became the permanent Stearns homestead. He m. first, Sarah Mixer of Watertown, who d. June, 1656; m. second, 1656, Mary Lothrop of Barnstable, Mass., and d. 5 Mar., 1668-9. Isaac Stearns[1], the emigrant, came to America in 1630, probably with Gov. John Winthrop and settled in Watertown, Mass. He was made freeman May 18, 1631, which is the earliest date of any such admission.—*Bond.* He d. 19 June, 1671; wife Mary d. 2 Apr., 1677.

Timothy Stearns[6] was b. in Billerica, 25 Sept., 1763, and d. 8 Aug., 1816. Mrs. Stearns d. 13 June, 1849.

Their eleven children were:

1. *Timothy*, b. 8 Sept., 1788, d. 22 Nov., 1791. 2. *Sally.* 3. *Timothy*, 4. *John.* 5. *Sewall.* 6. *Sarah.* 7. *Obed*, b. 21 Mar., 1801, m. 27 May, 1827, *Mehitable Carlton*, and had:

1) Josiah Obed, b. 17 Oct., 1830. 2) Amos, b. 1831, m. Oct., 1856, Mary A. Hartwell. 3) Eckley, deacon of Congl. church in Woburn, gave one of the Rose windows in Amherst College church as a memorial.

8. *Sarah.* 9. *Albert.* 10. *Eckley.* 11. *Timothy*, b. Billerica, 23 Jan., 1810; Amherst College 1833, Andover Seminary 1837, ordained 2 July, 1839, died Fort Madison, Iowa, 19 July, 1861.

13.

TIMOTHY LANE[4] (Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1722–1793, b. 10 July, 1722, was on tax list, north part of Bedford, Mass., 1748, was grantee in transfer of real estate, July 8, 1757, and Oct. 25, 1765, was returned in Jonathan Wilson's Co. of Minute Men, May 15, 1775. Town Treasurer's account: "April 11, 1777. To Timothy Lane For hiering soldiers, 16—3—4." He m. 7 Mar., 1750-1, by Rev. Nicholas Bowes, LYDIA, dau. of Stephen[3] and Elizabeth DAVIS (Samuel[2], Dolor[1]), of Bedford, who d. 31 Aug., 1801, æ. 72 years. He d. 3 Dec., 1793, æ. 72 years. His heirs were grantors to S. Lane and others, Mar. 1, 1794.

Children:

I. LUCY[5], b. 7 Nov., 1751, m. 23 Nov., 1775, JONATHAN PUTNAM and had son,

1. *Elijah.*

II. ELIZABETH[5], b. 7 May, 1753.

26. III. STEPHEN[5], b. 20 Aug., 1755, m. ALICE ABBOTT.

IV. ANNA[5], b. 30 Mar., 1758, m. 20 May, 1779, EBENEZER GOULD of Chelmsford, Mass.

V. LYDIA[5], b. 16 Dec., 1760; d. 23 Oct., 1765, æ. 4 ys., 10 ms., 7 ds.

VI. RHODA[5], b. 17 May, 1763; m. 12 Feb., 1789, SIMEON GOULD.

VII. PATTIE[5], b. 8 Nov., 1765.

VIII. NATHAN[5], b. 11 Feb., 1768; received real estate, Mar. 1, 1794, Nov. 28, 1794, d. 1 Dec., 1794, æ. 26 ys., 10 ms.

IX. LYDIA[5], b. 16 Jan., 1772; d. 13 July, 1796, æ. 24 ys., 5 ms.

14.

JONATHAN HILL[4] (Jonathan[3,2], Ralph[1]), b. Billerica, Mass., 28 Apr., 1718, m. 13 Jan., 1746-7, MARY LANE[4] (Job[3], John[2], Job[1]).

Ralph Hill[1], was originally of Plymouth, Mass., where he m.

Margaret Toothaker, probably a widow, in 1638. Removing to Woburn, Mass., he was chosen surveyor of highways, Apr. 13, 1644, was taxed there as an inhabitant, 1645, 1646, and was made freeman 1647. He was selectman and assented to the boundary between Charlestown and Woburn, 16th 10 mo., 1650, and was chosen again among the seven selectmen, 25th 12 mo., 1650, (Feb. 25, 1651). He removed to Billerica, Mass., in 1653, one of its earliest settlers and founder of the family in that town. In 1659, he sold his land and house in Woburn to Richard Snow. Ralph Hill and George Farley purchased the Edward Oaks grant at Shawshine in 1661. He d. at Billerica, 29 Apr., 1663. His widow d. there, 22 Nov., 1683, aged "about 88." In his will, Nov. 10, 1662, he names sons Nathaniel, Jonathan and Ralph, daus. Martha and Rebecca, his widow Margaret and his son-in-law Roger Toothaker.

Children of Ralph[1] and Margaret (Toothaker) Hill:

1. *Nathaniel*[2], b. probably at Plymouth.
2. *Jonathan*[2], b. Woburn, 20 Apr., 1646, m. 11 Dec., 1666, *Mary*[2], dau. of William Hartwell[1] of Concord, Mass., who is mentioned in her father's will, probated 1690. In the allotment of common lands in 1707, a portion of the Thomas Oaks grant fell to Jonathan Hill. They had:

Jonathan[3], m. Mary Brackett who m. second, 3 Dec., 1744, John Hartwell of Bedford, Mass.

3. *Ralph*[2], b. Woburn and named in his father's will, Nov. 10, 1662.
4. *Martha*[2]. 5. *Rebecca*[2].

JONATHAN HILL[4], son of Jonathan and Mary (Brackett) Hill, m. MARY LANE[4]; she b. 24 Feb., 1724-5, and d. 24 Oct., 1772, æ. 47 years. He m. second, 24 May, 1774, SARAH, widow of Samuel WHITING, who d. 16 Aug., 1778, æ. 42 years. He d. 7 Apr., 1796.

Children of Jonathan[4] and Mary (Lane) Hill:

I. RALPH[5], b. 2 Sept., 1747.

II. MARY[5], b. 21 Oct., 1748, m. 19 June, 1777, OLIVER[2] POLLARD; he b. 1736-7, son of Oliver[1] and Hannah (Hill) Pollard. He possessed a portion of the Thomas Oaks grant and d. in 1831, æ. 94 years. He was succeeded in the estate by his son Oliver[3], who built the present dwelling and whose dau. Molly Pollard[4] m. James Lane[5] (James[4,3], John[2], Job[1]).

III. MARTHA[5], b. 4 Mar., 1749.

IV. SUSANNA[5], b. 22 Jan., 1750-1.

V. BENJAMIN[5], b. 30 June, 1752.

VI. JOB[5], b. 29 May, 1754.

VII. LUCY[5], b. 14 Jan., 1756.

VIII. JOSIAH[5], b. 10 Dec., 1757, lived on the Bedford homestead, m. 8 June, 1789, SUSANNA, dau. of Daniel DAVIS of Bedford. Their son JOSIAH[6] was a clergyman at Methuen and later Lynnfield, Mass.

IX. ELIZABETH[5], b. 13 Oct., 1759.

X. ISABEL[5], b. 3 Dec., 1761, m. 26 May, 1785, BENJAMIN LANE[5] (John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]).

XI. JONATHAN[5], b. 28 Sept., 1763, m. 13 Dec., 1798, MARY PROCTOR of Bedford. A dau. *Mary*[6], m. 23 Nov., 1824, *Samuel Butler* of Leominster, Mass.

XII. JANE[5], b. 17 Dec., 1764.

XIII. AZUBAH[5], b. 1 Mar., 1768.

XIV. ANNA[5], b. 11 June, 1776.

15.

BENJAMIN BACON[5], (Benjamin[4], Michael[3.2.1]), b. Billerica, Mass., 6 Dec., 1713, m. 15 Feb., 1739, CATHERINE LANE[4]; she b. 27 June, 1717, dau. of John[3] and Katherine (Whiting) Lane (John[2], Job[1]).

The Bacons constituted one of the most numerous Bedford families for more than two centuries. Michael Bacon[1] was the immigrant ancestor. He left England for Ireland on the approach of the Civil War about 1633, and came thence to Dedham, Mass., in 1640, accompanied by his wife, sons Michael[2], Daniel[2] and John[2] and daughter Sarah[2]. These children are mentioned in his will, April 14, 1648. Their mother died in 1647.

MICHAEL BACON[2], eldest son, was of Charlestown, Mass., 1640, where the brothers Michael Bacon[2] and Daniel Bacon[2] subscribed,

Dec. 18, 1640, the "Town Orders" agreed upon for the proposed town of Woburn. "8th of 7 mo., 1642, Charlestowne Village is called Wooborne," records its act of incorporation by the Gen. Court of Mass. Michael Bacon[2] was one of the original inhabitants of Woburn, chosen highway surveyor, Apr. 13, 1644, and on the board of selectmen 1659, 1665, '6, '8, 1670. His wife Mary dying 26 Aug., 1655, he m. second, 26 Oct., 1655, MARY RICHARDSON, and after her death 19 May, 1670, he took to him a third wife, 28 Nov., 1670, MARY NOYES. He d. 4 July, 1688. He had *Michael*[3], only son, b. about 1640. *Elizabeth*[3], b. 4 Jan., 1642. *Sarah*[3], b. 24 Aug., 1644.

MICHAEL BACON[3] (Michael[2.1]), had a mill on the Shawshine river in the present town of Bedford, Mass., before King Philip's War. He was alluded to in a mortgage deed as citizen of Billerica, June 8, 1675, and was assigned by the town of Billerica, for defence, to garrison No. 10, in Aug., 1675, and allowed to have two soldiers from the garrison for the protection of his mill. He purchased the Rev. Mr. Mitchel farm of 500 acres including the mill on Shawshine river for £200, in July, 1682, and it became known as the Bacon Homestead. He gave a deed, Oct. 4, 1696, to his "loving son Michael Bacon jun of Billerica, shoemaker." The house he built has been occupied by seven generations of the Bacon family and name. He m. 22 Mar., 1660, SARAH RICHARDSON of Woburn, who d. 15 Aug., 1694. He d. 13 Aug., 1707. Ten children born in Woburn and Billerica:

Mary[4]. *Sarah*[4]. *Abigail*[4]. *Michael*[4]. *Jonathan*[4]. *Benjamin*[4]. *Nathaniel*[4]. *Josiah*[4]. *Joseph*[4]. ——[4].

JONATHAN BACON[4] (Michael[3.2.1]), b. 14 July, 1662, was in the Indian wars with "Mager Lane" 1706, selectman of Billerica, 1719 and 1727, boarded the school master one month in 1722, representative of Billerica, 1726, called the first town meeting of Bedford, Sept. 26, 1729, at which time he was chosen selectman; m. first, 3 Jan., 1694, Elizabeth Giles; m. second, 22 Sept., 1739, Elizabeth Wyman, born Hancock; died 12 Jan., 1754.

BENJAMIN BACON[4] (Michael[3.2.1]), b. about 1688, m. 2 Dec., 1712, ABIGAIL TAYLOR of Concord, Mass. His will dated Nov. 25, 1727, mentions the four elder children:

Benjamin[5], b. 6 Dec., 1713. *John*[5], b. 16 June, 1716. *Abigail*[5], b. 25 Sept., 1718. *Samuel*[5], b. 21 July, 1721. *Mary*[5].

BENJAMIN BACON[5] (Benjamin[4], Michael[3.2.1]), b. 6 Dec., 1713, was taxed in Bedford, 1748, and was deacon of the church in Bedford, Feb. 15, 1759, till his death. Town of Bedford Dr., Feb. 10, 1778. "To Dea. Benjamin Bacon For hiering soldiers, 15—17—o." Six Bacons from Bedford were in the company of minute men and two in the militia company at Concord Fight, Apr. 19, 1775.

Dea. Bacon m. 15 Feb., 1739, CATHERINE LANE[4] (John[3.2], Job[1]), who d. 7 July, 1791. He d. 1 Oct., 1701, æ. 78 years.

Epitaph:

"Go traveller, live to God."

Their children:

I. BENJAMIN[6], b. 6 July, 1741, engaged in the Concord Fight, Apr. 19, 1775, gave to the pastor, Rev. Samuel Stearns, "6 lbs beef" in 1797. He m. first, 27 May, 1766, ESTHER DAVIS; m. second, 31 Dec., 1789, AMITTAI (Lane) BACON; m. third, ANNA (Crosby) JAQUITH. He had son *Benjamin*[7] and grandson Benjamin[8], who m. Sylvania Lane[6] (David[5], James[4.3], John[2], Job[1]).

II. CATHERINE[6], b. 9 July, 1746, d. young.

III. ISAAC[6], b. 6 May, 1748, d. young.

IV. ISAAC[6], b. 27 Oct., 1751, d. young.

V. ELIJAH[6], b. 19 Sept., 1754, engaged in the Concord Fight; m. AMITTAI LANE[5] (Job[4.3], John[2], Job[1]), and d. 1788.

VI. RHODA[6], b. 30 Oct., 1757, d. young.

16.

JOHN LANE, 3d[4] (John[3.2], Job[1]), 1722- —, b. Billerica, Mass., 1 July, 1722, inherited from his father and lived on the Thaddeus Davis place, Bedford, Mass. He was taxed in the north part of Bedford, 1748. He was a soldier in Capt. John Moore's company of militia at Concord Fight, Apr. 19, 1775. Town Treasurer's

account: "Sept. 15, 1777, John Lane ye 3d for personal Service, 14—11—8." Probably was grantor of real estate to J. Wright, Apr. 27, 1782, to E. Stearns, June 14, 1784, to O. Pollard, Jr., Jan. 12, 1789, to same, Jan. 16, 1789, to E. Baker, Apr. 10, 1790, to J. Lane, May 31, 1790.—*Worcester Co. Deeds.*

The Pastor's Tithing, Mem. by Rev. Samuel Stearns:

"1797, From September to Thanksgiving, Mr. Lane 1 lb butter. Mr. John Lane, a peice of fresh pork. Thanksgiving Week, Mr. Lane, 7 lbs pork and 14 candles."

Mr. Lane m. 28 Oct., 1747, MARTHA FLAGG, a descendant of Thomas and Mary Flagg of Watertown, Mass., and of Gershom and Hannah (Lepingwell) Flagg of Woburn, Mass., who had ten children.

Children of John and Martha (Flagg) Lane:

I. MARTHA[5], b. 13 Aug., 1748.

II. MATTHEW[5], b. 9 Oct., 1750, settled near Boston, Mass.

27. III. GERSHOM FLAGG, b. 30 July, 1753, m. LYDIA THOMAS.

IV. HANNAH[5], b. 13 May, 1755, m. JOHN BACON.

V. HEPZIBAH[5], b. 30 Aug., 1761.

17.

SAMUEL LANE, 2d[4] (John [3,2], Job[1]), 1737–1822, b. Bedford, Mass., 21 Oct., 1737, m. 8 Dec., 1763, by Rev. Nathaniel Sherman, ELIZABETH FITCH, b. 6 Jan., 1738-9, dau. of Zachariah and great grand dau. of Samuel and Sarah (Lane) Fitch. She d. 29 Sept., 1796, æ. 57 ys., 8 ms., 20 ds. He was returned with Capt. John Moore's Co. of Militia, Apr. 3, 1776, as having been in the Concord Fight of Apr. 19, 1775. Town Treasurer's account, July 12, 1777: "To Saml Lane jur, For Hiering Soldiers, 8—5—0." He was selectman of Bedford, Mass., 1780. Pastor's Tithing: "1797, Thanksgiving Week, Mr. Samuel Lane, Jr., 9 lbs beef. From Thanksgiving to April, Mr. S. Lane, 1 bushel rye meal." Mr. Lane inherited Elm Farm, a portion of the Job Lane home-

stead, was in good financial circumstances, and d. 3 Aug., 1822, æ. 84 yrs., leaving no son. He was the last of the name in this line of the Lane family. His will was signed Apr. 10, 1818, presented for probate, Sept. 3, 1822; Moses Fitch and John Stearns, son-in-law, executors; appraisement ordered Sept. 9, 1822; inventory taken Oct. 1, 1822, exhibited Nov. 2, 1822; executors' account June 3, 1823; bequests to daus. Phebe Lane, Hannah Lane, Dorcas White, and to children of daughter Polly Stearns, deceased.

Children:

I. HANNAH[5], b. 26 Feb., 1765, m. JONATHAN LANE[5] (John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]).

II. ELIZABETH[5], b. 6 Dec., 1766, m. 8 May, 1800, MATTHEW SHORT of Cambridge, Mass., and had children.

III. DORCAS[5], b. 18 Feb., 1771, m. NATHAN WHITE of Bedford, Mass., and had three children.

IV. PHEBE[5], b. 12 Feb., 1773, m. DAVID LANE[5] (James[4.3], John[2], Job[1]).

29. V. POLLY[5], b. 15 Aug., 1776, m. John Stearns.

18.

JAMES LANE, JR.[4] (James[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1726–1799, b. Bedford, Mass., 8 Mar., 1725-6. He was in Capt. John Moore's Co. of militia and took part in the Concord Fight of Apr. 19, 1775. This Bedford company was among the first of the provincials on the ground, engaged in removing the military stores and also in the fight at Concord Bridge. The flag they carried to the field was the only one displayed on that day. The old emblem is still preserved at Bedford. Mr. Lane was afterward a sergeant of the same company in Col. Jonathan Reed's regiment. Town Treasurer's account, Feb. 13, 1778: "To James Lane, Jur., For Hiering Soldiers, 8—5—0."

He was grantee in the transfer of real estate, Dec. 11, 1756, Apr. 16, 1764, Feb. 3, 1790, Sept. 9, 1796; grantor to Charles, a

negro, Oct. 17, 1759, to J. Moore, June 8, 1761, to E. Stearns, May 18, 1764, to J. Lane, Jr., Oct. 25, 1765, to S. Lane, Apr. 5, 1781, Dec. 31, 1785, Mar. 8, 1791, Feb. 1, 1799, to M. Lane, Feb. 23, 1782.

Mr. Lane m. 10 Jan., 1750-1, by Rev. Nicholas Bowes, MARY WELLINGTON, dau. of Dea. Job Lane's second wife, and d. suddenly, 4 Jan., 1799, æ. 73 years. Will of James Lane, signed Dec. 25, 1798, proved Apr. 9, 1799, son Solomon Lane, executor, made bequests to wife Mary Lane, to sons James, Solomon, David and Isaac, and to grand children, "the five surviving children of my late son Oliver Wellington Lane deceased."

Mrs. Lane m. second, Capt. John Moore, Jr., who had been Mr. Lane's company commander in the Revolution; he d. 27 Sept., 1807, æ. 78 years.

"Glory with all her lamps shall burn,
To watch the Christian's sleeping clay;
Till the last trumpet cause his urn
To aid the triumph of the day."

Mary, second wife of Capt. John Moore, d. 2 Apr., 1806, æ. 76 yrs.

Children of James and Mary (Wellington) Lane:

30. I. OLIVER WELLINGTON[5], b. 27 Oct., 1751, m. SUSANNA NEWMAN.

II. JAMES[5], b. 10 Mar., 1754, m. by Rev. Samuel Stearns, 6 June, 1805, MOLLY POLLARD, who d. 16 Feb., 1848, æ. 96 ys., 8 ms. Uncle James, an old bachelor, used to go courting Aunt Molly, regularly, just once a year and for many years. He d. 20 Oct., 1836, æ. 83. Adm. on his estate was declined by Molly Lane, and Joel Foster was appointed administrator, Nov. 8, 1836, who gave bond with David Lane and Oliver Wellington Lane sureties; inventory taken Nov. 17, 1836, exhibited, and allowance made to widow Molly Lane, Jan. 10, 1837; administrator's sale, May 29, 1837, and account rendered Nov. 14, 1837.

31. III. SOLOMON[5], b. 7 Aug., 1756, m. SARAH STEARNS.

32. IV. DAVID[5], b. 11 Mar., 1759, m. MOLLY LANE and PHEBE LANE.

V. ISAAC[5], b. 13 May, 1766, d. 24 Nov., 1803, æ. 37 years. No family. Verbal bequests were made to his niece Anna Lane and to Oliver W. Lane, May 23, 1803. The nuncupative will was attested by Moses Fitch, David Lane and Samuel Lane, 2d, June 14th, the heirs Mary Moore, Susannah Lane, James Lane and David Lane consenting July 27th, appraisement made Aug. 2d, and the will presented for probate Oct. 5th, all in the year 1803. The first account of Solomon Lane, executor, was exhibited June 6, 1804, and his second account June 11, 1806, with distribution of personal estate to brothers Solomon, James and David and to heirs of Oliver Wellington Lane, a brother.

19.

SAMUEL LANE[4] (James[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1737–1802, b. Bedford, Mass., 11 July, 1737, was returned with Capt. John Moore's Co., Apr. 3, 1776, as in the Concord Fight of Apr. 19, 1775; was a farmer in Bedford, grantee of real estate June 4, 1793, Sept. 4, 1795, Oct. 12, 1796; grantor to S. Richardson, Aug. 28, 1797, to J. Patten, June 15, 1798, to E. Richardson, Jr., Oct. 19, 1798.

Mr. Lane m. first, by Rev. Nathaniel Sherman, 2 Oct., 1760, RUTH, dau. of Stephen, Jr., and Elizabeth (Brown) DAVIS, of Bedford; she b. 5 Dec., 1739, and d. 21 Oct., 1772, in her 33d year; m. second, by Rev. Henry Cummings, 6 Jan., 1774, Wid. HANNAH (Richardson) FRENCH, of Billerica, who d. 29 Sept., 1796, æ. 57 yrs.

Epitaph:

"Retire, my friends, dry up your tears,
Here I must lie till Christ appears."

He m. third, by Rev. Paul Litchfield, 21 May, 1799, MRS. FRANCES BLOOD of Carlisle, who d. 19 Sept., 1807, æ. 69 years. Mr. Lane d. 26 June, 1802, æ. 65 yrs.

Epitaph:

"Simple manners, charitable temper. Industry and uprightness were adorned by a Christian profession and practice, and inspired a humble hope of a happy immortality. The memory of the just is blessed."

In the administration of the estate of Samuel Lane of Bedford, yeoman, Jonas Lane, Esq., of Lancaster and Samuel Lane, 2d, yeoman, of Bedford, were appointed administrators, who gave bond with Solomon Lane and David Lane, sureties, July 15, 1802; inventory exhibited Oct. 12, 1802, amount $3,642.77; administrators' account Oct. 5, 1809, had paid claims of widow Frances Lane, Jonas Lane, David Lane, John Webber, Jr., Solomon Lane, Amariah Preston, Ebenezer Lane, Phebe Lane, Hannah Lane, Samuel Lane, 2d.

Children all born in Bedford:

33. I. JONAS[5], b. 10 May, 1761, had wives DOLLY BALLARD, EUNICE KENDALL, SALLY HAWKS and LYDIA WAIT.

II. REBECCA[5], b. 17 Jan., 1763, d. Boston, 27 Nov., 1791, æ. 28 ys., 10 ms., interred at Bedford.

34. III. EPHRAIM[5], b. 22 Mar., 1767, m. ELIZABETH DANFORTH ABBOTT.

IV. RUTH[5], b. 7 June, 1769, m. 30 Mar., 1797, NATHANIEL BROWN[5], son of Nathaniel Bowman[4] and Abigail (Page) Brown (Daniel[3], Joseph[2], John[1]). They moved to Plymouth, Vt., July 3, 1814, and founded a prominent family. He d. of consumption, 28 Apr., 1834, æ. 65 years; she d. 18 Aug., 1838, æ. 68 years.

Children born in Bedford:

1. *Anna Page*, b. 23 Mar., 1799, m. at Plymouth, 28 May, 1818, *Jonathan Lewis Pratt* of Ludlow, Vt.
2. *John*, b. 19 Sept., 1801, d. 12 Sept., 1805, æ. 3 ys., 11 ms., 24 ds.
3. *Abigail*, b. 19 Mar., 1803, m. 6 Dec., 1826, *Moses Pollard, Jr.*, of Plymouth, and d. 6 Aug., 1850.
4. *Mary Ann*, b. 6. Sept., 1805, m. 15 Apr., 1828, *Amos B. Pollard*, brother of Moses, Jr.
5. *Ruth Davis*, b. 17 Oct., 1807, m. 10 Jan., 1828, *Horace Sawyer* of Plymouth.
6. *John Page*, b. 11 Jan., 1810.

35. V. EBENEZER[5], b. 14 May, 1771, m. HANNAH CUNNINGHAM and SALLY WESTON.

By second marriage:

VI. DANIEL[5], b. 9 Oct., 1774, d. 28 Oct., 1785, æ. 11 years.

VII. HANNAH[5], b. 6 Apr., 1776, m. by Rev. Samuel Stearns, 12

Dec., 1801, ISAIAH GREEN, a farmer of Carlisle, Mass., and d. 23 Mar., 1845, æ. 68 ys., 11 ms., 16 ds. Four children:

1. *Isaiah Richardson*, b. Carlisle, 28 Mar., 1803, d. 15 Oct., 1805, æ. 2 ys., 6 ms., 17 ds.
2. *Hannah Lane Chandler*, b. 15 Dec., 1806.
3. *Lydia Adams*, b. 15 Dec., 1810.
4. *Nancy Richardson*, b. 30 July, 1816.

36. VIII. SAMUEL[5], b. 15 Jan., 1778; m. LUCY R. JONES.

IX. PATTIE[5], b. 19 Aug., 1780, m. 14 July, 1811, TILLA GREEN, a farmer of Carlisle, Mass. Four children:

1. *Benjamin*, b. 3 Aug., 1813.
2. *Mary*, b. 26 Feb., 1816.
3. *Susan*, b. 7 Nov., 1818, m. 4 Nov., 1843, Isaac Blaisdell of Carlisle.
4. *Selina*, b. 20 Apr., 1827.

20.

LUKE LANE[5] (Job[4.3], John[2], Job[1]), 1768–1801, b. 29 Sept., 1768. Luke Lane was grantee of estate from J. Lane, May 17, 1793, and grantor to I. Prudden, Jan. 8, 1798; m. 24 Mar., 1791, by Rev. Henry Cummings, HANNAH CROSBY of Billerica, and d. 27 Aug., 1801, æ. 33 yrs. Hannah Lane, widow, gave bond, 14 Oct., 1801, as admx. on the estate of Luke Lane, late of Bedford, yeoman. The bond was filed 13 Apr., 1802. Children: Hannah, Job, Luke and Seth. MRS. LANE m. second, 20 Jan., 1805, *Nathaniel Dudley* of Lexington.

Children born in Bedford:

I. LUKE[6], b. 9 Sept., 1791; m. MARTHA ——, and d. 15 Feb., 1850, æ. 58. Son:

1. *Dudley*[7], b. 17 Oct., 1822.

37. II. JOB[6], b. 7 Aug., 1794; m. MARY HADLEY.

III. SETH[6], b. 9 Aug., 1796; m. AMMARILLA ——, and had:

1. *Emeline*[7], b. 27 Jan., 1829.
2. *Reuben Bacon*[7], b. 18 Jan., 1831.
3. *Alonzo*[7], b. 5 July, 1838, enlisted at Boston, in U. S. navy for three years, Oct. 12, 1863.

IV. HANNAH[6], b. 4 May, 1799.

21.

JOHN LANE, JR.[5] (John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1746–1808, b. Bedford, Mass., 7 Dec., 1746, received by will of his grandfather, Dea. Job Lane, Feb. 15, 1753, "my old clock." Return, Apr. 3, 1776, of Capt. John Moore's Bedford Co. militia, in the Concord Fight, Apr. 19, 1775: "John Lane, Jr., travelled ten miles, in service one day."

1807. Alarm of war with Great Britain. The town of Bedford voted:

"To make up to the soldiers that may voluntarily turn out in defence of our country, $14.00 per month as wages, if called into active service; and to give the men ordered to be discharged from Captain Lane's company, if they should voluntarily turn out $3.00 per man, as an encouragement to the same, whether they march or not."

December 27th, the town "granted to captain Lane's soldiers who should enlist in the defence of our country for the term of six months, $13.00 per month as wages during the time they are in actual service."

1812. Madison's War. Bedford men were ordered to the defence of Boston under Captain Reed.

John Lane was grantee of real estate Oct. 10, 1763, Jan. 12, 1789; agreement Feb. 11, 1791; grantee Oct. 6, 1791, Feb. 22, 1794, Feb. 26, 1799; grantor to J. Penniman, Jan. 12, 1789, to J. Reed, Apr. 10, 1789, Feb. 26, 1799, to T. Page, Apr. 10, 1789, to Ziba Lane, Mar. 8, 1791, to J. Lane, Apr. 4, 1791, Aug. 25, 1792, Feb. 22, 1794, to O. Pollard, Feb. 22, 1792, to J. Whitman, Apr. 10, 1792, to B. Lane, Mar. 20, 1792, Oct. 31, 1793, to F. Lane, Mar. 20, 1792, to A. Cragie, Apr. 27, 1793, to S. Lane, Jr., Jan. 8, 1798, to I. Prudden, Jan. 8, 1798.

He m. 25 Nov., 1773, RUHAMAH READ, dau. of Esq. John and Ruhamah (Brown) Read[5] (Wm.[4].[3], Geo.[2], Wm.[1]); she b. Bedford, 11 Dec., 1753, and d. 30 Apr., 1817, æ. 63 years.

William Reade[1] sailed from London, Eng., July, 1635, in the ship "Defence," Capt. Edward Fostick, master, and reached Boston, Mass., Oct. 6, 1635, with wife Maybel Kendall and three

children. He was made freeman at Dorchester, Mar. 4, 1638, was of Scituate, 1639, and constable in 1644, settled in Woburn, 1648. They soon returned to England, where he died at Newcastle-upon-Tyne in 1656, and she was appointed executrix of his will by Lord Protector Oliver Cromwell, "the last day of October, 1656." Nine children.

George[2] (William[1]), was b. in England, 1629, lived in Woburn, now Burlington, a wealthy landholder and deacon of the church in Woburn; m. first, 4 Aug., 1651, Elizabeth Gennings or Geninson, who d. 26 Feb., 1664; second, 9 Nov., 1665, Hannah Rockwell of Charlestown, and d. 21 Feb., 1706, æ. 77 years. Fourteen children.

William[3] (George[2], William[1]), b. 22 Sept., 1662, a military captain, justice of the peace and selectman of Lexington, m. 24 May, 1686, Abigail Kendall of Woburn, his relative, with extra fingers and toes, and d. 12 May, 1718. Nine children.

William[4] (William[3], George[2], William[1]), b. 18 July, 1693, justice of the peace, representative of Lexington 20 years in succession, owned large estates in Lexington and Billerica; m. about 1769, Sarah, dau. of John Poulter, and d. 11 Feb., 1778, æ. 85 years. Ten children.

John[5] (William[4.3], George[2], William[1]), b. 28 May, 1731, military officer, justice of the peace, a wealthy and prominent man in Bedford; m. 18 Jan., 1753, Ruhamah, dau. of Daniel and Eliot Brown, and d. 20 Nov., 1805; she d. 9 Jan., 1798. Seven children.

Mr. Lane d. 22 Feb., 1808, æ. 61 years.

The widow Ruhamah Lane waived the right of administration on estate of John Lane, and Eliab B. Lane, the eldest son, was appointed administrator, Apr. 14, 1808. The same day the widow's request for dower was lodged; her petition for allowance was filed Aug. 30, 1808, and allowance granted Apr. 14, 1809. The administrator presented inventory and was ordered to sell personal property, Aug. 30, 1808; exhibited personal claims and filed his first account, June 13, 1809; second account, Sept. 1, 1809; sold estate and rendered his third account, Oct. 4, 1809.

The will of Ruhamah Lane, widow, was dated Mar. 29, 1817, and proved June 3, 1817; Amariah Preston and Eliab B. Lane,

executors; inventory taken, Oct. 16, 1817, exhibited, Jan. 13, 1818; executor's account presented, Feb. 24, 1819; heirs Amariah Preston, Eliab B. Lane, Asa Webber, Eliot Webber, Amasa Lane, Roger Lane, John Lane, Abner Foster.

Children:

I. RUHAMAH[6], b. 10 June, 1775, m. 15 May, 1796, AMARIAH PRESTON, M. D. He was b. 5 Feb., 1758, a justice of the peace and an ardent patriot, in the Revolutionary war three years; m. first, 18 Oct., 1790, Hannah Reed and settled in Bedford, Mass., 1790, "the honored physician of the town for 45 years and enjoyed the confidence of the people whom he faithfully served."—*A. E. Brown.*

"Sacred to the memory of Mrs. Hannah, wife of Dr. Amariah Preston, Feb 8, 1795, in the 26th year of her age.

Hark! hear my dear Redeemer's voice,
My soul must hence remove;
Farewell to all those earthly joys,
And haste away to realms above."

In memory of Hannah, daughter of Dr. Amariah Preston, Aug. 8, 1810, aged 15 years.

He located on the Walter Pollard tavern site which in 1738 stood near the Job Lane sawmill on Peppergrass brook in the southerly part of the Winthrop Farm. In those times goods were represented in their true condition. "Want to buy any yellow pork?" asks Walter Pollard. "Think not," answers Job Lane. Pollard was succeeded on the estate by Rev. Joseph Peniman and Peniman by Preston.

Dr. Preston removed to Lexington, Mass., where he addressed Louis Kossuth, governor of Hungary, May 7, 1852, and d. 29 Oct., 1853, æ. 95 ys., 8 ms., 24 ds. Children of Dr. Amariah and Ruhamah (Lane) Preston were:

1. *Amariah*, b. 21 June, 1798. 2. *Ezekiel Warren*, b. 8 July, 1800. 3. *Ezekiel Warren*, b. 24 Dec., 1802. 4. *Harvey Newton*, b. 21 June, 1806, grad. Harvard Med. Col., 1827, d. 1837. 5. *Lovice Matilda*, b. 19 Feb., 1809.

II. GRACY FOSTER[6], b. 22 Dec., 1777, d. 16 Nov., 1806, æ. 30 years.

38. III. ELIAB BRIDGE[6], b. 21 June, 1780, m. ANNA WELLINGTON.

IV. ELIOT REED[5], b. 30 Apr., 1782, m. 30 Apr., 1801, ASA WEBBER[4], b. 20 June, 1775, son of John[3] and Sarah (Fassett) Webber (Benj.[2], James[1]). He d. 8 Nov., 1850; she d. 26 July, 1878. Children:

1. *Ruhamah*, b. 14 Apr., 1802, d. 31 Aug., 1879, m. 30 Nov., 1826, *William Hartwell*[6] (Wm.[5], Joseph[4], Wm.[3], Samuel[2], Wm.[1]), b. 12 Jan., 1797, d. 14 Jan., 1888.
2. *Eliot*, b. 26 June, 1804, d. 24 July, 1855, m. 15 Apr., 1823, *Eldridge Merriam*[7], (John[6,5,4], Nath.[3], John[2], Joseph[1]), b. 8 Feb., 1802, d. 25 Sept., 1868.
3. *John Lane*, b. 3 Dec., 1808, m. *Sarah Whitford* and d. 12 Feb., 1859.
4. *Lucy*, b. 5 June, 1811, d. 20 Apr., 1834, m. 13 Nov., 1828, *Benjamin F. Hartwell*[6] (Wm.[5], Joseph[4], Wm.[3], Samuel[2], Wm.[1]), b. 8 June, 1800, d. 14 Dec., 1884.
5. *Lydia*, twin, b. 5 June, 1811, d. an infant.

V. JOHN[6], b. 5 July, 1784.

VI. ABNER[6], b. 18 Apr., 1786, d. 9 Aug., 1806, æ. 21 years.

VII. JESSE[6], b. 25 Mar., 1788, went to Pennsylvania.

39. VIII. AMASA[6], b. 30 Apr., 1790, m. BEULAH BURNHAM.

IX. ROGER[6], d. 16 Nov., 1794, æ. 16 months.

40. X. ROGER[6], b. 1795, m. ZELINDA BACON.

22.

COL. FRANCIS LANE[5] (John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1750–1823, b. Bedford, 31 Aug., 1750; settled in Ashburnham in the spring of 1773, and was a soldier in the Revolution; marched as corporal on the Lexington alarm, 19 Apr., 1775; enlisted as sergeant in Jonathan Gates' Co., 25 Apr., 1775; on com. of safety and inspection 1777; captain 1781, afterward major and lieutenant colonel; built and conducted a saw and grain mill and owned other property at Lane Village, Ashburnham. Grantor to J. Lane, Feb. 11, 1791, to J. Lane, Apr. 4, 1791, to B. Lane, Oct. 31, 1793, to Stephen Lane, Dec. 3, 1796.

Francis Lane of Bedford received from his father John Lane and wife Sarah of Bedford, 50 acres of land in Ashburnham, Mar. 9,

1773.—*Wor. Co. Deeds, 98: 354.* He paid the town of Ashburnham, £83, 18s., Dec. 2, 1773, for the school lot No. 12 in said town. The same day, with Isaac Stearns, he paid William Buttrick and Jeremiah Bridge, £96, 2s., for land in Ashburnham. —*71: 254 & 73: 167.*

Francis Lane, gentleman, engaged in many real estate transactions in Ashburnham. He paid Elisha Coolledge 700 pounds for 330 acres, Nov. 6, 1783; Samuel Cutting 42 pounds for 35 acres, May 4, 1784; with wife Hepzibah sold Isaac Stearns 15 acres 126 poles for £34, 15s., 2d., Jan. 23, 1785; paid Grover Scolley 13 pounds for land, July 18, 1785; paid John Whiting 100 pounds, Mar. 26, 1787, for 85 acres in Leominster with dwelling house and barn, and sold the same property to John Whiting for 120 pounds, Nov. 14, 1787, his wife Hepzibah relinquishing right of dower; paid Samuel Cotting, collector of taxes, £1, 16s., Nov. 30, 1789, for land in Ashburnham on which Ziba Lane had not paid the tax of 5s., 8d.; with his brothers and sisters in favor of Benjamin Lane for 28 pounds, Dec. 9, 1789, to 38 acres, "one moiety or half quantity and quality;" paid his brothers and sisters 28 pounds for quit claim to 38 acres, Dec. 29, 1789; paid Benjamin and Isabel Lane 33 pounds, May 14, 1791, for 37 acres; with wife Hepzibah sold Ziba Lane three lots, Feb. 13, 1792, for 20 shillings; sold Stephen Lane land, Dec. 3, 1796, for $500; with wife Sarah, sold Elias Lane land for $500, July 7, 1709; with wife Sarah sold Isaac Morse for $57.20, Nov. 4, 1808, "all our right to the one-third part of the real estate of John Burr late of Winchendon, this right belonging to said Sarah Lane as widow of the said John Burr.—*92: 327; 93: 461, 464; 100: 127; 102: 147; 103: 205; 114: 80, 90, 91, 92, 530; 128: 55; 246: 420; 188: 289.*

Francis Lane, Esq., of Ashburnham, sold Elias Lane, gentleman, land in Ashburnham, Nov. 21, 1821, for $403.—*246: 421.*

Col. Francis Lane m. first, 30 Sept., 1779, HEPSIBAH COOLIDGE, b. Waltham, 9 Mar., 1754, dau. of Capt. Wm. and Elizabeth (Brown) Coolidge. She d. 14 Mar., 1795. He m. second, 1801, SARAH, wid. of John BURR, neé Cushing. He d. 1 May, 1823.

Nine children:

I. JOHN COOLIDGE[6], b. 2 July, 1781; d. 16 Sept., 1781.

II. SARAH[6], b. 11 June, 1782; m. 20 Nov., 1800, JOHN KIBLING, and d. 19 Aug., 1865. He d. 17 Jan., 1846. Six children.

III. LUCY[6], b. 6 July, 1783; m. 17 Dec., 1809, Capt. John Jones, b. 24 Nov., 1783; res. Dublin, N. H., where he d. 3 May, 1849. She d. 24 Mar., 1873. Two children:

1. *Frederick*, b. 20 July, 1813, Phillips Acad., 1831, grad. Harv. University, 1835, and at Dart. Med. Col., did much in literature and in teaching in his earlier years, had a large medical practice in New Ipswich, N. H., and adjoining towns, and had sat in the Legislature; m. 20 Feb., 1845, *Caroline Frances*, b. 2 Feb., 1824, dau. of Dr. Stillman *Gibson* of New Ipswich, and d. 6 July, 1892. They had two children:

1) Frederick William, b. 9 Jan., 1848; grad. D. C., 1869, and at Med. Department of University, New York city; settled in practice at New Ipswich.
2) Frances R., b. 1 June, 1852, an artist with many fine paintings.

2. *Lucy Ann*, b. 20 Nov., 1819; d. 14 Feb., 1861.

41. IV. ELIAS[6], b. 21 Feb., 1785; m. ANNA JONES.

V. ABIGAIL[6], b. 1 June, 1786; d. 31 Aug., 1786.

42. VI. FRANCIS[6], b. 20 Aug., 1787; m. SUSANNA FOSTER.

VII. ABIGAIL[6], b. 20 May, 1789; d. unm. 13 Dec., 1813.

VIII. JOHN[6], b. 15 May, 1791; d. 19 Mar., 1792.

IX. JOHN[6], b. 9 Oct., 1792; m. 10 Apr., 1822, ANNA COOK, dau. of John and Anna (Beal) Cook, and d. 13 Dec., 1845. She d. 27 Aug., 1851. Child:

1. *Mary A.*[7], b. 12 Oct., 1832; m. 11 June, 1856, *Wm. H. Emory*, b. 27 Mar., 1821, son of Enos and Ziporah (Hale) Emory; res. Ashburnham.

23.

LIEUT. BENJAMIN LANE[5] (John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1754–1835, b. Bedford, Mass., 17 Mar., 1754; received from his father, John Lane and wife Sarah, Apr. 16, 1775, 108 acres of land in Ashburnham, Mass.; committee of Bedford "to procure beef" levied as a tax in the Revolution; "Treasurers Account, Feb. 13, 1778: To Benjamin Lane For hiering Soldiers, 1—7—4;" it is certain that he received a pension as a Revolutionary soldier. He removed to Ashburnham in the spring of 1780, to the premises still known as the Benjamin Lane place.

He paid Jacob Kiblings, 9 pounds, 9 shillings, Nov. 28, 1787, for land in Ashburnham, bounded by lands of Benjamin and John Lane; paid Caleb Wilder, 12 pounds, Dec. 4, 1787, for 46 3-4 acres, lot No. 7, Division 2, in Ashburnham; paid his brothers and sisters, 28 pounds, Dec. 9, 1787, for quit claim to "one moiety of half quantity and quality" of 38 acres in Ashburnham; with his brothers and sisters he quit claim to 38 acres in Ashburnham, in favor of Francis Lane, for 28 pounds, Dec. 29, 1789; grantor of estate to J. Lane, Feb. 11, 1791, Apr. 4, 1791; with wife Isabel sold Francis Lane, 37 acres in Ashburnham, bounded by land of Ziba Lane, May 14, 1791; paid John Lane, 24 shillings for land in Ashburnham, Mar. 20, 1792; grantor of estate to J. Lane, Oct. 31, 1793; with wife Isabel sold Josiah Lane, 20 acres in Ashburnham, for $200, Apr. 23, 1803.—*Wor. Co. Deeds.*

Lt. Lane m. first, 9 Dec., 1779, by Rev. Joseph Penniman, ANNA, dau. of Ebenezer PAGE, who d. 4 Sept., 1784; m. second, 26 May, 1786, ISABEL HILL, dau. of Jonathan and Mary (Lane[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), Hill of Billerica, Mass., who d. 1 Jan., 1833. She was in the sixth generation from Ralph Hill, a pioneer of Billerica, Mass. Mr. Lane adventurously settled with his young bride in Dorchester, Canada, inc. Ashburnham, Mass., in 1765, when the Indians had hardly quitted the forest. He took a journey to Boston on horseback and returned with a little glass for windows and some articles for cooking. His glass windows were among the first in town. Being a great reader his mind was treasured with a fund of useful information, and a conversation with him on historical topics was always interesting. He d. 20 Dec., 1835, æ. 81 ys., 9 ms., 3 ds. Will, signed April 8, 1834, making bequests to children and grandchildren and naming Benjamin Jaquith executor, with inventory of $2,255, Mar. 16, 1836, was presented for probate, Apr. 5, 1836.—*Wor. Co. Wills.*

Children:

I. DOLLY[6], b. 18 Oct., 1780, d. 20 Jan., 1784.

43. II. JOSIAH[6], b. 28 Mar., 1782, m. NANCY WILDER.

By second marriage:

III. BENJAMIN[6], b. 1786, d. 31 July, 1791.

IV. ISABEL[6], b. 7 July, 1788, d. 13 Feb., 1825, unm.

V. DOLLY[6], b. 22 May, 1790, m. 25 July, 1826, BENJAMIN HOWARD of Ashby, Mass., and d. 3 Nov., 1833, leaving:

1. *Charles*, res. San Jose, Cal. 2. *Dorothy*, m. *Eben Damon*. 3. *Lucy*, m. in Vt.

VI. ANNA[6], b. 29 Apr., 1792, m. 28 June, 1812, WILLIAM STEARNS, had son William, m. and d. in Oregon; m. second, JOSEPH INGALLS of Keene, N. H., and had 3 sons.

VII. ROXANNA[6], b. 4 Oct., 1793, m. 3 Apr., 1832, JOHN COOK, Jr., of Ashburnham, he b. 15 Mar., 1805. She d. 24 Feb., 1834. Fourteen years after her death her husband was arrested for her murder, but was acquitted.

One child, *Sarah Roxanna*, b. 6 Oct., 1833, m. 1851, *Jacob Hart* of Keene, N. H., res. Bellows Falls, Vt.

44. VIII. BENJAMIN[6], b. 23 June, 1795, m. ABIGAIL WALKER.

IX. LUCINDA[6], b. 11 Dec., 1797, m. 28 Oct., 1823, JOHN W. CUTTING of Weston, Mass., and d. 20 Apr., 1854. He was b. 6 Apr., 1800, and d. 12 Mar., 1873. Children of John W., and Lucinda (Lane) Cutting:

1. *John Warren*, b. 4 Aug., 1824, m. *Susan Keniston*, lived in Ashby, Mass., had ten children and d. 27 Jan., 1892.
2. *Lucinda*, b. 15 Apr., 1826, m. 1 Jan., 1856, *Eben Damon*, lived in Ashby, and had John, m. Elizabeth Jeffs, and Lewis, unm.
3. *Benjamin Lane*, b. 13 Jan., 1828, m. 20 Sept., 1853, *Sarah Varney*; m. second, 1 Nov., 1870, *Laura Howe*. Seven children.
4. *Susan Anna*, b. Sept., 1830, m. 15 Sept., 1847, *John Parmalee?* lived in Chicago, Ill. Five children.
5. *Eliza*, twin, b. 14 June, 1835, m. 17 June, 1856, *George Russell*, lived in Ayer, Mass., and had: 1) Georgietta, b. 30 Aug., 1860, d. 30 July, 1874. 2) George C., b. 26 Aug., 1878.
6. *Emily*, twin, b. 14 June, 1835, m. 23 Oct., 1859, *Oliver N. Kenney*, lived in Weston, Mass., and had: 1) Charles Cutting, b. 29 Dec., 1860, m. 9 Dec., 1885, Clara S. Stimpson and had William Oliver, b. 12 Feb., 1887, Elizabeth Cutting, b. 11 Apr., 1889, Frederick Stimpson b. 8 July, 1892, Winthrop Warren, b. 4 Jan., 1894. 2) Ralph, b. 25 June, 1864, m. 8 Mar., 1891, Lois R. Snare and had Walter, b. 5 Mar., 1891, Carl Elmer, b. 23 Apr., 1893. 3) George Washington, b. 15 Mar., 1866. 4) Emily, b. 19 July, 1871, d. 19 Aug., 1871. 5) Emily Lane, b. 26 June, 1872, teacher in Raynham, Mass. 6) Oliver Warren, b. 21 Oct., 1878.
7. *Joseph*, b. 14 Oct., 1837, m. first, *Mary A. Wellington*, second, 2 Nov., 1870, *Sarah E. Allen*, lived in Waltham, Mass., and had: 1) May Elizabeth, b. 13 Dec., 1871, grad. Boston University, 1894. 2) Alice Amelia, b. 7 May,

1873. 3) Florence Gertrude, b. 9 Apr., 1874. 4) Chester Joseph, b. 29 Mar., 1883.

X. SUSAN[6], b. 29 Oct., 1799, m. first, Mar., 1831, BENJAMIN JAQUITH of Ashby, Mass.; m. second, NATHANIEL SWAIN, and d. 6 Oct., 1880. No children.

XI. SALLY[6], b. 18 Oct., 1801, m. 28 Dec., 1828, FRANKLIN STEARNS of Billerica, Mass., son of John and Mary (Lane) Stearns and brother of Gov. Onslow Stearns of N. H. They settled, the 6th generation on the Stearns homestead. She celebrated her 90th birthday in good physical and mental strength, receiving the congratulations of children, grandchildren and numerous friends who called to see her. She rehearsed Indian stories told by her mother respecting the scattering Pawtucket tribe, who made visits to the Bedford springs near by. These keen students of nature had detected the remedial properties of the waters, called them "medicine," and brought their sick to bathe in them, and took away water in their skin bottles. They expressed great indignation that the white people had broken up their camping grounds. The venerable lady was remarkably free from infirmities, eyes tired, lids heavy but sight perfect, and she had cut several teeth of her third set. To the question of age she replied, "I was born in the year one and I have lived long enough." Mrs. Stearns was living in Billerica with her son John B. in 1894. She had six children.

1. *Susan Isabel*, b. 21 Aug., 1830, d. July, 1882, unm. 2. *Mary Jane*, m. *John Reed*, of Elizabeth, N. J., and d. Oct., 1893. 3. *Sarah Olive*, d. in infancy. 4. *Sarah Maria*, m. *Asa Dunn*, of Carlisle, Mass. 5. *Lucretia Ann*, m. *John Davis* of Carlisle. Ten children. 6. *John Billings*, b. Mar., 1843, unm. in Billerica, Mass.

XII. MELINDA[6], b. 21 May, 1804, m. 29 Nov., 1838, BENJAMIN, son of William WARD of Ashburnham; he b. 1 Apr., 1801, d. 16 Sept., 1860. She d. 25 Feb., 1855. Four children.

Children of Benjamin and Melinda (Lane) Ward:

1. *Eliot*, drowned in pond near his father's house, aged 17 yrs.
2. *Henry*, lived in Greely, Col., and in California. Three children.
3. *Edwin*, lived in Greely, Col.
4. *Isabel Hill*, m. *Lemuel Whiting* of Pawtucket, R. I. Son Arthur b. 1887.

24.

ZIBA LANE[5] (John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1756——, b. Bedford, Mass., 5 July, 1756, was in Capt. John Moore's militia company at the Concord Fight, Apr. 19, 1775: "Ziba Lane travelled 33 miles, in service 9 days."

Ziba Lane of Billerica, Mass., paid Asa Danforth 120 pounds, Apr. 17, 1784, for 160 acres, lots Nos. 1 and 4, Division 2, in Ashburnham.—*Wor. Co. Deeds, 91: 419.* He paid George Dana and wife Elizabeth, 120 pounds, Jan. 14, 1786, for 185 acres, lots No. 4, in Div. 2, and Nos. 50 and 10, in Div. 4, Ashburnham.—*99: 17.* His name appears in the settlement of his father's estate, 1789.—*114: 80, 91.* He was grantor of estate to J. Lane, 1791, Feb. 11, and Apr. 4; 1792, Aug. 25.—*Mid. Co. Deeds.*

Ziba Lane of Amherst, N. H., received from Francis and Hepsibah Lane quit claim to 3 lots of land in Ashburnham, for 20 shillings, Feb. 13, 1792.—*Wor. Co. Deeds, 114: 530.* He was grantor of estate to S. Lane, 1793, Feb. 2, to B. Lane, 1793, Oct. 31; to U. Goodwin, 1796, Apr. 2.—*Mid. Co. Deeds.*

Ziba Lane of Amherst, N. H., gentleman, and wife Lydia Lane, sold to Joseph Steele, 3 lots of land, 185 acres in Ashburnham, for 300 pounds, June 8, 1796.—*Wor. Co. Deeds 137: 334.*

Ziba Lane m. 1 Apr., 1778, by Rev. Henry Cummings, LYDIA DANFORTH of Billerica, Mass. They res. Billerica, Mass., and Amherst, N. H.

Children:

I. HANNAH[6], b. 25 Nov., 1778.

II. JOSIAH[6], b. 28 Sept., 1780, d. 5 Nov., 1780, æ. 1 mo., 8 ds.

45. III. ZIBA[6], b. 31 Jan., 1782, m. FRANCES GORDON DENNIS.

46. IV. FRANCIS BOWMAN[6], 24 Sept., 1787, m. ROXINDA PARLIN.

47. V. JOHN[6], b. 2 Jan., 1793, m. first, Mrs. PATTY HOPKINS, m. second, LUCY OLMSTEAD.

VI. JAMES[6], b. ——, tailor, Lyons, N. Y., m. ELIZA MOSS.

25.

JONATHAN LANE[5] (John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1763–1808, b. Bedford, Mass., 15 Oct., 1763; was grantee of real estate, May 31, 1790, Apr. 4, 1791, Aug. 25, 1792, Feb. 22, 1794, and grantor Dec. 9, 1789, Dec. 29, 1789, Feb. 11, 1791, Mar. 8, 1791, Oct. 31, 1793. He m. 2 Feb. 1787, HANNAH LANE[5] (Samuel[4], John[3.2], Job[1]). "Their parents being only cousins, they did not consider themselves related."—*Sarah Maria Fisk.*

Mr. Lane succeeded his father on the homestead and d. 4 Mar., 1808, æ. 44 years. Mrs. Jonathan Lane and Mrs. Stephen Lane purchased Tomb No. 4, built in 1826. She bought one of the first chaises in Bedford after the death of her husband; and the first cook-stove was used by her son-in-law, George Fisk. She was b. 26 Feb., 1765, and d. 9 Mar., 1848, æ. 83 years.

Her grandson Samuel Wright Lane wrote in the Lane Family Bible: "Note. The Dwelling House in Bedford, Mass., built by Mr. John Lane, whose name appears first in these records and occupied ever since by his descendants, was totally destroyed by fire the first of March, 1847. No lives were lost, but Mrs. Hannah Lane, aged 82 years, the widow of Jonathan Lane, was with difficulty saved. The old family Bible was lost, but a copy of the Records had previously been taken by a Grandchild, who now furnishes this Bible with the family records copied into it, to serve his venerable relative in her declining years.

S. W. L.

Boston, March 22, 1847."

Eleven children. Four of the children, Jonathan, Josiah Abbot, Hannah and Arinda, all minors above the age of 14 years, were placed under the guardianship of Solomon Lane, Apr. 13, 1808, who presented his account and was discharged, July 8, 1815.

48. I. JONATHAN[6], b. 27 Jan., 1788, m. RUHAMAH PAGE.

II. HANNAH[6], b. 11 Oct., 1789, a teacher of "reading, writing, spelling, reckoning and sewing;" a fine mantua maker and tailor, going to Boston twice a year for the fashions, she fitted the young people of the town, at wages of 25 cts. for a day of fifteen hours'

work. She m. 27 Sept., 1838, ELIJAH PUTNAM, who was b. 5 Jan., 1780. She d. 22 Apr., 1874.

49. III. JOSIAH ABBOTT[6], b. 17 Aug., 1791, m. PHEBE SPINNING.

IV. ARINDA[6], b. 26 May, 1793; skillful at hand spinning and weaving, at wages of a shilling a week, she early purchased for herself a string of gold beads; an enterprising housekeeper, she was among the first in town to use a cook-stove; m. 6 May, 1824, GEORGE FISKE of Amherst, N. H., remained on the paternal homestead, and d. 24 Jan., 1885. Their children:

1. *George Nourse*, b. 12 May, 1825; was among the "Fortyniners" who rank so high with Californians; d. 28 Apr., 1869, æ. 44.
2. *Nathan Lord*, b. 9 Oct., 1826; d. 1847.
3. *David Abbot*, b. 30 July, 1828; d. 1847.
4. *Ann Eliza*, b. 27 Aug., 1830, m. *Charles Wm. Dodge* of Amherst, N. H., and had:

1) Died young. 2) Died young.
3) Fannie Arinda, b. 12 May, 1857, m. Harry Gray of Lowell, Mass., and had three children.
4) Antonette Fiske, b. 15 Dec., 1864.

5. *Sarah Maria*, b. 28 Nov., 1832, res. Lowell, Mass.; mind full of family traditions and memories of childhood, when troops of Lane children were tutored in the old red school house.
6. *Jonathan Lane*, b. 8 Nov., 1834, with two good sized teeth which he retained until nine years old and was told they were a sign he would go to war; enlisted for three years, May, 1861, in 7th Mass. Light Battery, and d. at Suffolk, Va., 19 Dec., 1862.

V. ROLLIN[6], b. 3 Apr., 1795, d. 9 Jan., 1800, æ. 4 yrs., 9 ms.

VI. SARAH[6], b. 1 May, 1797, m. 15 May, 1817, EBENEZER HAYWARD of Acton.

Children:

1. *Hannah Elvira*, b. 26 Mar., 1818, m. *A. Peabody Morse*, and had:

1) Elvin Peabody, b. 29 Dec., 1837, d. before 1865.
2) Garafelia M., b. 1 Nov., 1843, m. John Dawson.

2. *Eben Abbot*, b. Apr., 1821.
3. *Sarah E.*, b. May, 1823, d. 3 Mar., 1824.
4. *Sarah E.*, b. 21 Mar., 1825, d. 28 Mar., 1825.
5. *Sarah C.*, b. 3 Aug., 1827, m. —— *Wingate*.
6. *Ebenezer S.*, b. Aug., 1829, m. *Amelia* ——.
7. *Timothy A.*, b. 15 July, 1831, d. July, 1831.
8. *Maria L.*, b. 3 Feb., 1833, m. *Bedell Bangs*.
9. *Elizabeth Lane*, b. 22 Feb., 1835, m. —— *Van Horn*.
10. *Esther Mercy Ann*, b. 18 Apr., 1837, m. —— *Wilcox*.
11. *Susan Augusta*, b. 31 Oct., 1840, m. —— *Hodkins*.

VII. ELIZABETH[6], b. 13 June, 1799, d. 15 Jan., 1800, æ. 7 ms.

VIII. MYRA[6], b. 24 Nov., 1800, d. 2 May, 1801, æ. 5 ms.

50. IX. GEORGE[6], b. 8 May, 1802, m. first, LUCY M. DUNN; second, SARAH H. BERRY.

51. X. CHARLES[6], b. 14 Aug., 1804, m. first, SARAH B. WHEELER; second, ELIZABETH CARLTON.

52. XI. JOHN SAMUEL[6], b. 15 Jan., 1808, m. SALLY ANN VERMILYEA.

26.

STEPHEN LANE[5] (Timothy[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]) 1755–1827, was b. in Bedford, Mass., 20 Aug., 1755, lived at Sunny Side, a homestead taken from the Fitch land.

Return of Capt. John Moore's militia company, Bedford, Apr. 3, 1776, of soldiers in the Concord Fight, Apr. 19, 1775: "Stephen Lane, travelled 33 miles, in service 7 days."

He was grantee in transfer of real estate, Feb. 2, 1793, and Mar. 1, 1794; grantor to S. Lane, Sept. 4, 1795, to A. Fassett, Apr. 2, 1796. He paid Francis Lane $500, Dec. 3, 1796, for land in Ashburnham, Mass.—*Worcester Co. Deeds.*

Pastor's Tithing, Mem. by Rev. Samuel Stearns: "1798, April to June. Stephen Lane, leg of pork."

Some Lanes who were pew owners in the second and third houses of worship, Bedford. The sum paid was for one or more pews:

Stephen Lane, paid	$137.50
Job Lane, ...	104.00
Jonathan Lane, ...	128.00
Solomon Lane, ...	132.00
David Lane, ...	109.00
Roger Lane, ...	120.00
Eliab B. Lane, ...	79.50

Mr. Lane m. 1 May, 1806, by Rev. Samuel Stearns, ALICE ABBOTT, wid. of Moses Abbott, Jr., née Stearns[6] (Edward[5],

John[4.3.2], Isaac[1]). Her father, Lieut. Edward Stearns[5], b. 9 May, 1726, m. 9 May, 1755, Lucy, dau. of Thomas Wyman and Rachael (Crosby) wid. of Samuel Stearns. He d. 11 June, 1793; she d. 28 Nov., 1802. The Lieut. Edward Stearns homestead and mill yard were set off to Bedford in 1766, and he was the head of the family in Bedford. At an early hour of Apr. 19, 1775, he awoke his family, announced that the British were coming, joined, with his eldest son Solomon, the Bedford company of militia and was soon at Concord, and in authority the latter part of the day after the death of Capt. Jonathan Wilson. Father and son reported at Cambridge on the following day; the former returned to his family, the latter remained on duty, sickened and d. 18 May, 1775. The Rev. Samuel Stearns, who performed the marriage ceremony, was cousin to Mrs. Lane.

Mr. Lane's will, dated May 3, 1827, presented for probate, June 5, 1827, named wife Allice, dau. Lydia Harriet Hayward, nephew Elijah Putnam, friend Sally Goodwin, Moses Abbot, grandson to my wife, Oliver Reed Abbot, my son-in-law, who was appointed sole executor. Inventory, $1,480.00; return made Sept. 2, 1828.

Mrs. Stephen Lane and Mrs. Jonathan Lane built tomb No. 4, in Bedford, 1826. Their daughter:

I. LYDIA HARRIET[6], b. Bedford, 26 Mar., 1808, inherited the homestead and m. 26 Apr., 1827, Capt. JOHN WHITE HAYWARD[7] (Martha[6], Paul[5], Dea. Samuel[4], Simeon[3], Joseph[2], George[1]). He was b. 11 July, 1804, was commissioned as captain of Lexington artillery company, was often in town and parish office, Bedford, and d. in 1866. She d. 25 Dec., 1884. Children:

1. *John Augustus*, b. 14 Mar., 1828, d. Aug., 1828.
2. *Stephen Lane*, b. 26 Oct., 1829.
3. *Harriet Frances*, b. 12 May, 1831.

27.

GERSHOM FLAGG LANE[5] (John[4.3.2], Job[1]), 1753–1838, b. Bedford, Mass., 30 July, 1753, m. 8. Feb., 1775, LYDIA THOMAS

of Rhode Island; she b. Feb., 1757. They resided in Weathersfield and Cavendish, Vt., and in Springville township, Susquehanna Co., Pa., where he d. 17 Nov., 1838; she d. 31 Oct., 1841.

Children:

I. Daughter[6], d. in infancy.

53. II. JOHN[6], b. 14 Feb., 1776, m. NANCY GEACH.

III. LYDIA[6], b. 6 Sept., 1778, m. BENJAMIN FAREWELL of Vermont.

IV. SOPHIA[6], b. 12 Mar., 1780, of a hopeful, jovial disposition, kind to the poor, generous to children, loved society, was jealous of her rights and in her younger days considered handsome, m. BENJAMIN BLAKESLEE, who was b. 18 Apr., 1774, a pioneer of Dimock, Susq. Co., Pa. Their children:

1. *Amanda*, b. 20 Aug., 1803, m. *Pardon Fish*, and had:

1) Benjamin, b. Mar., 1826, unm.
2) Hiram, b. 18 Oct., 1828, m. first, Susan Bush, second, her sister, and had: Fanny, 1854, Mary, 1856, Webster, 1865, Anna, 1870.
3) Freeman, b. 25 Dec., 1830, m. Miss Sherman. No children.
4) Sophia, b. June, 1832, unm.
5) Miles, b. 11 Sept., 1834, m. 29 Dec., 1870, Emeline Bolls, and had: Oscar, b. 2 Mar., 1872. Nellie E., b. 9 May, 1880.

2. *Luke*, b. 4 May, 1805, m. *Anna Rogers*, and had:

1) Janet, m. and had no children.
2) Orin, m. Widow McKeeby and had Edward.

3. *Leland*, b. 15 June, 1807, m. *Mary Potter*, and had:

1) Lewis Raymond, no children.
2) Joseph G., d. single.
3) Charles D., unm.

4. *George*, b. 18 Jan., 1810, m. first, *Louisa Thayer*, second, *Delight West*, and had:

1) Louisa, d. in childhood.
2) Amanda, m. Charles Bunnell.
3) Louisa, m. Hiram Terry.
4) Benjamin F., m.
5) Orlando F., m. Mary Tyler; four children.

5. *Hiram*, b. 12 Feb., 1812, m. *Amanda*, dau. of Cyrus *Whipple* of Bridgewater, Pa., and had:

1) Catheline, m. D. C. Ainey, and had: W. B. D., Esq., and Charles.
2) Elbert L., b. 25 May, 1843. Elbert L. Blakeslee was b. in Dimock, Pa., 25 May, 1843, studied at Harford and Montrose academies, Pa., enlisted in Co. H., 4th Penn. Reserves, in 1861, graduated medical department Michigan University, at Ann Arbor, 1865, practised medicine at Brooklyn, Pa., three years, studied law at Mich. University and was admitted to the bar in

1869, and became junior member of the law firm of Little & Blakeslee, Montrose, Pa. Dr. Blakeslee was a remarkably able, impressive and eloquent pleader in the courts of Susq. Co., and died suddenly of heart disease, May, 1893, leaving a widow, m. n. Mary Litter, and one son, Elbert.
3) Riley, m. Miss Risley, and had son.
4) Florella, unm.

6. *Lydia*, b. 16 May, 1814, m. *Pardon Fish*, his second wife, and had:

1) Wallace, b. 1836, m. Widow Beach.
2) Laura, b. 1845. 3) Ira, b. 1 Nov., 1848. 4) Alfred, b. Feb., 1850. 5) Herbert, b. 1 Apr., 1855.

7. *Lyman*, b. 18 May, 1816, m. *Lydia Kasson*, and had:

1) Ida, m. John Tiffany. 2) Edith, m. James Jeffers. 3) Lillian, m. Thomas C. Allen.

8. *Rachel*, b. 26 May, 1818, m. *Albert Potter*, and had:

1) Albert. 2) Delphina.

9. *William Riley*, b. 20 Sept., 1822, a physician in Coatesville, Chester Co., Pa.

V. GERSHOM[6], b. 6 Mar., 1782, m. in Vermont.

VI. HANNAH[6], b. 7 Apr., 1784, a strong minded, practical woman, member of the Baptist church, m. first, ABIJAH GREGORY, second, AMI MOTT. No children.

54. VII. GEORGE WASHINGTON[6], b. 29 Sept., 1786, m. SALLIE OSTERHAUT and OLIVE NEWTON.

VIII. PATTY or MARTHA[6], b. 16 Sept., 1788, m. Mr. WORCESTER, lived in Wisconsin. Their children:

1. *Wesley*. 2. *William*. 3. *Seneca*, m. his cousin *Elizabeth*, dau. of Leland *Lane*. 4. *Elizabeth*, m. —— *Blackman*.

IX. CLARISSA[6], b. 9 Feb., 1790, m. AARON BLAKESLEE, brother of Benjamin, who m. Sophia Lane. "She was a dignified, high minded and amiable woman, a devoted wife, a loving and judicious mother." Their children:

1. *Mariah*, b. 9 Feb., 1812, m. *Dwight Risley*, and had:

1) Alfred, m. Elizabeth Bingham.
2) Harriet. 3) Olive.

2. *Angeline*, b. 11 Mar., 1813, m. *Charles Keeney*. No children.
3. *Erasmus Darwin*, b. 24 June, 1818.
4. Rev. *George Harmon*, b. 28 Oct., 1819, m. *Hester Ann Cargill*, and had:

1) Rev. Frank Durbin Blakeslee, D. D., principal of East Greenwich academy, R. I.
2) Mary, m. Mr. Stowell.

3) Helen, m. Prof. Mann of the State Normal school, Potsdam, N. Y.
4) Emma, m. ——.
5) Clara, m. Principal of State Normal school, Potsdam, N. Y.

5. *Elinor*, b. 28 Sept., 1822, m. 2 May, 1849, A. D. Woodhouse, and had:

1) George Fred, b. 25 Mar., 1855, d. unm.
2) Eva, b. 31 Jan., 1860.

6. *Miranda*, b. 3 Nov., 1828, m. *Oscar March*, and had:

1) Charles K.

55. X. THOMAS[6], b. 15 Nov., 1792, m. SARAH HARKINS.

XI. ABIAH[6], b. 29 Sept., 1794, m. THOMAS BAGLEY. "She was remarkable for her piety and power in religious exhortation, being able to quote Scripture at will." Their children:

1. *Emily*, m. *Hiram Baker*, and had children.
2. *James*, m. *Emeline Saunders*, and had several children.
3. *Hannah M.*, m. *John Rowe*, and had several children.
4. *Sarah Martha*, m. *Thomas Hadsell*, and had children.
5. *Juliette*, m. *Theophilus Provost*, and had children.
6. *Roxina*, unm.

XII. LELAND[6], b. 26 June, 1799, m. and settled in Kalamazoo, Mich. Children:

1. *Elizabeth*[7], m. her cousin *Seneca Worcester*, and lived in Illinois.
2. *James*[7], merchant in Detroit, Mich.
3. *Others*[7].

XIII. Rev. FREEMAN[6], b. 16 May, 1801, graduated at Middlebury college, Vt., 1828, and at Andover, Mass., Theological seminary, 1833, was ordained Episcopal deacon, Sept. 25, 1833, and was rector at Manchester, Vt., at Springfield, Pa., 1836-'40, at Troy, Pa., 1844-'50, at Huntington, Pa., 1851, and d. in 1852. He m. LYDIA PARKER, and had four sons:

1. *Richard*[7], d. in youth.
2. *Henry*[7], res. N. Y. city.
3. *Cornelius*[7].
4. *Morris Littell*[7], of Troy, Penn.

29.

JOHN STEARNS[5] (Isaac[4], John[3,2], Isaac[1]), b. Billerica, Mass., 18 Sept., 1765, m. 10 Feb., 1801, POLLY LANE[5] (Samuel[4], John[3,2], Job[1]); she b. Bedford, Mass., 15 Aug., 1776. Mr.

Stearns was a prosperous farmer on the Stearns homestead in Billerica. His father Isaac Stearns was a well known and influential citizen of Middlesex county, who held various local and state offices and was for several years a member of the Executive Council.

Mrs. Stearns d. 30 Nov., 1815, æ. 39 years. Her children are mentioned in her father's will, Apr. 10, 1818, of which Mr. Stearns was named an executor.

Their eight children were:

I. FRANKLIN, b. 25 Jan., 1802, m. SALLY LANE[6] (Benjamin[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]).

II. MARY, b. 28 Dec., 1803, m. 13 May, 1832, WILLIAM WHITFORD.

III. JOHN OWEN, b. 3 Aug., 1805, m. MARGARET C. WALKER; went to Virginia, civil engineer in the construction of the Chesapeake and Ohio canal, contractor in building various railroads in Maryland, Pennsylvania and New Jersey, director of the New Jersey Central railroad.

IV. ONSLOW, b. 2 Feb., 1807, d. 23 Feb., 1808.

V. ELIZA ANN, b. 4 Oct., 1808, m. JOHN DENNIS BILLINGS.

VI. ONSLOW, b. 30 Aug., 1810. He remained at home attending school and academy and farming until 17 years of age. In 1827 he went to Boston as clerk in the dry goods jobbing house of Howe & Holbrook, afterwards J. C. Howe & Co. In 1830, he joined his brother, John O. Stearns, in civil engineering and in 1833, in constructing railroads in several of the middle states. In 1837, he returned to New England and engaged in the building of railroads in Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Vermont. Among the positions he filled were superintendent of the Nashua and Lowell railroad, 1838, agent of the Northern railroad of N. H., 1845, and its president, 1852, until his death, general superintendent of the Vermont Central railroad, 1852 to 1855, director of the Nashua and Lowell railroad, 1857 to 1875, president of Old Colony and Newport railroad, 1866 to 1877, also for a time president of the Narragansett Steamship Co., president of the Concord railroad, N. H., 1874, until his death.

Beginning his career at the foundation of railroad construction, there was no department in railroad management with the details of which Mr. Stearns was not familiar. To the management of the various railroads with which he was connected, he brought a more thorough equipment than was possessed by any other man in New England and one surpassed in completeness by few men in the country. He won a reputation for enterprise and shrewdness almost unparallelled, and his services were sought beyond the geographical limits to which his operations had been confined.

Nor did railroad interests absorb the whole of his time and attention. In 1862, he was a member of the N. H. Senate, and in 1863, its president. In 1864, he was delegate at large from N. H., to the Republican National Convention at Baltimore, Md. He was nominated, Jan. 7, 1869, and inaugurated, June 3, governor of N. H., and also served a second term in 1870. As chief magistrate he gave close attention to details, no interest failed to receive his careful attention, and his administration was characteristically wise, economical and successful.

Gov. Stearns m. 26 June, 1845, MARY A. HOLBROOK, dau. of Hon. Adin Holbrook of Lowell, Mass. In 1846, he made Concord, N. H., his permanent home, a public spirited, opulent, hospitable man. Presidents Grant and Hayes were his guests when visiting Concord. Here he d. 29 Dec., 1878, and his widow d. 27 July, 1895. Their children:

1. *Charles Onslow*, of the firm of John A. Lowell & Co., Steel Plate Engravers and Printers, 147 Franklin St., Boston, Mass.
2. *Four daughters.*

VII. LORENZO, b. 13 May, 1813, d. at Elizabeth, N. J., 13 May, 1836.

VIII. BARNARD, b. 23 Nov., 1815, m. LAVINIA BEATRICE HAYNES. Residence Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

30.

OLIVER WELLINGTON LANE[5] (James[4,3], John[2], Job[1]). 1751–1793, was born in Bedford, Mass., 27 Oct., 1751, graduated

Harvard College, 1772, received degree of M. A., 1779, a distinguished teacher and writing master at West End, Boston, Mass.

He was named, with his brother James, executor of the will of his grandmother, Mary Wellington-Lane, who died 11 Dec., 1783, the widow of Dea. Job Lane[3] (John[2], Job[1]). This trust he declined in a letter of neatest penmanship, directed to the Judge of Probate.

"Hon$_{ble}$ OLIVER PRESCOTT Esqr.

BOSTON, March 4th 1784.

SIR,

I wou'd inform you that my Brother with myself are Executors to the Will & Testament of my Grandmother.

My Situation and Indisposition are such at present as render it inconvenient for me to wait on you with him. Reposing Confidence in you and trust in him, I shall rest contented with his Representation to you, and your Determination.

I am With Respect,

Your Hum$_{e}$. Servt.

OLIVER WELLINGTON LANE."

Master Lane's West Boston Writing School.

When President George Washington visited Boston on Saturday, Oct. 24, 1789, Master Lane's pupils were paraded in Cornhill, now Washington street, to welcome him as the procession passed along. They stood in the gutters in front of long rows of men whose strength was required to protect them from the crowd on the sidewalks. General Washington was mounted on a white charger, seated in uniform with characteristic erectness and dignity. As he rode along with uncovered head, he inclined his body first on one side and then on the other, distinctly bowing. The pupils were placed in front of Mr. Jonathan Moore's hardware store opposite Williams Court. I well remember the laugh which our salute created when, as the General passed us, we briskly rolled in our hands quills with the longest feathers we could find.—*Recollections by Wm. H. Sumner. Gen. Reg. 14: 161.*

Item: Mr. Oliver W. Lane, by the liberal subscription of patriotic gentlemen, opens a Sunday School in Boston, the middle

of April, 1791, for "both sexes under a certain age, whom habits of Industry or other causes debar from instruction on week days."

Lucius Manlius Sargent was one of Master Lane's pupils in 1793, at 7 years of age, and thought him severe. "The master was harsh, he did not like him. One mode of his punishment was to make a boy stand on a very narrow log with scarcely any foothold, with a large chip in his mouth for an example; yet if any urchin lifted up his eyes to look at him, he was condemned to a similar punishment."—*John H. Sheppard.*

The Rev. John Murray was pastor and Oliver W. Lane was deacon of the First Universalist church at the corner of Hanover and North Bennet streets, Boston. Mr. Murray "was installed, Oct. 24th, 1793, by Deacon Oliver W. Lane, as the record states, 'in a very appropriate and affecting manner.' "—*Memorial History of Boston, 3: 489.*

Dea. Oliver W. Lane m. in Boston, 23 Oct., 1784, SUSANNA NEWMAN, and d. 3 Nov., 1793. In the petition for administration on his estate, dated Nov. 19, 1793, he is styled "gentleman." The estate was settled in Suffolk, Probate Court, No. 20221. He left estate on Leverett street, Cushman avenue, Boston, where he resided, and five acres of land in Bedford, Mass.

Epitaph in Old Granary Burying Ground.

"Beneath this spot reposes
the mortal part of
Mr. Oliver W. Lane Junr.
Dea'n of the Universalist Church in Boston,
Ob't Nov. 3d 1793 aged 42 years,
in whom was united the real christian,
the accomplished gentleman and unrivalled preceptor.

Beside the parent sleeps his son
John Murray Lane
Ob't June 20th 1794 aged 14 months.
The stock and scion sprang from the same root;
Entwined in Heaven they bear immortal fruit."

The "Junr" in this inscription presents an unaccountable mistake.

Children of Oliver W. and Susanna N. Lane:

I. JAMES BOWDOIN[6], b. 4 Aug., 1785, was clerk and kept the books of Levi Lane his stepfather, and d. without issue before 1817.

II. AUGUSTUS FREDERICK[6], b. 12 Aug., 1787, a baker, m. NABBY perhaps TRASK and was living in Boston, 1819.

III. THOMAS PARKER[6], b. 1 July, 1789, a sailmaker, unm., d. before 3 June, 1818, apparently.

IV. MARY WELLINGTON[6], twin, b. 30 Mar., 1791, a very fine woman among the Universalists; m. ELIJAH CLARK of Boston, and d. in Boston, 29 Apr., 1868. Mr. Clark was b. in 1781, and d. 12 Nov., 1845. By a previous m. with Cynthia Smith, he had:

1. *Elijah*, signed account of adm. on his father's estate, 1848, and d. leaving a widow.
2. *Nancy R.*, m. *Thomas A. Taylor*, prior to 1849.
3. *Lucy F.*, m. *George W. Pickering* of Bangor, Me., certainly before 1849.
4. *Cynthia C.*, b. 1 Sept., 1810, m. 30 Sept., 1830, *Washington Jefferson Lane*[6], (Ebenezer[5], Samuel[4], James[3], John[2], Job[1]). Five children.

Mr. Clark, by wife Mary W., had:

1. *James Frederic*, d. unm. 1881.
2. *Susan*, d. an infant.
3. *George*, d. in infancy.
4. *Alfred Pickering*, m. *Joanna Chaplin Houghton*, and had:

1) Alice Sargent. 2) Arthur Wellington, M. D., of West Chester Park, Boston. 3) Alfred Houghton.

5. *Mary A. B.*, m. *William F. Nichols* of Boston, who d. 1 May, 1892, and had:

1) Mary, m. George Chickering of Boston, the pianoforte manufacturer whose character has been described to be like his instruments, "square, upright and grand." 2) Francis W., m. Isadore Evans, of the U. S. Navy. 3) James Alfred, m. Caroline Daniell, and had son, William.

V. SUSAN NEWMAN[6], twin, b. 30 Mar., 1791, m. SAMUEL BUFFUM of Cambridge, Mass., who lived in Salem and d. a widower, 15 Mar., 1861. She d. between 1842 and 1855. Their children were:

1. *James L.*, of Cambridge, paper hanger, m. *Lucy H.*, between 22 Sept., 1852, and 7 Nov., 1854.
2. *Joshua*, of Salem, Mass.
3. *William H.*, of Cambridge.
4. *Charles E.*, of Randolph, Mass.
5. *Sarah L.*, m. *Ebenezer Noyes* of Saugus, Mass., who d. previous to 1861.
6. *Emily*, m. *Charles Safford* of Portland, Me., who d. prior to 1861.
7. *Mary Jane*, m. *Isaac Read* of Randolph, who was living in 1861.

VI. JOHN MURRAY[6], b. 29 Apr., 1793, d. 20 June, 1794.

MRS. SUSANNA (Newman) LANE m. second, his second wife, LEVI LANE, ESQ.[5], of Boston, (Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), and survived his death. Her estate was settled in Suffolk Probate Court, 1842. Her heirs appear to have been Mary W. Clark, Susan N. Buffum and Hannah (Lane) Braynard. Children:

I. HANNAH[6], b. 28 Apr., 1796, m. SELDEN BRAYNARD.

II. JOHN[6], b. 28 Dec., 1797, d. unm.

III. HARRIET[6], b. 29 Apr., 1799, d. of consumption, æ. about 20 years.

IV. FRANCIS[6], b. 5 Dec., 1800, d. unm.

31.

SOLOMON LANE[5] (James[4,3], John[2], Job[1]), 1756–1837, b. Bedford, Mass., 7 Aug., 1756. He was returned with Capt. John Moore's Bedford Militia Co., Apr. 3, 1776, of soldiers, who were at Concord Fight, Apr. 19, 1775:

"Solomon Lane travelled 33 miles, in service 12 days." He was also orderly sergeant in the Continental army.

He said of Jonathan Wilson, who was captain of Bedford Minute Men, and was killed, Apr. 19, 1775: "Capt. Wilson was a fine officer. I well remember him as he looked that morning. He drew his men up in front of the old Fitch tavern and said, 'Come, boys, we'll take a little something, and we'll have every dog of the enemy before night.' He was as lively as a bird; but he never came home till they brought him home."

The flintlock musket Mr. Lane carried in the Concord Fight was exhibited among the army relics at the sesqui-centennial of Bedford, in 1879.

Solomon Lane settled on a part of the homestead in Bedford, where he was much in town business and is said to have had the Family Coat of Arms. He was grantee in the transfer of real estate, Apr. 5, 1781, Dec. 31, 1785, Feb. 3, 1790, Mar. 8, 1791, Oct. 4, 1794, Feb. 1, 1799.

The Pastor's Tithing, Mem. of Rev. Samuel Stearns:

"June 1, 1797, Mr. Solomon Lane, 1 spare rib of pork.
June 5, 1797, Mr. Lane. 3 codfish.
June 23, 1797, Mrs. Lane, 1 lb. butter.
From September to Thanksgiving, Solomon Lane, 1 lb. butter."

His bass voice, loud enough to make the summers start in the oaken ceiling of the church, would join with the tenor of his minister, Rev. Samuel Stearns, if perchance the choir were absent. He was "Uncle Solomon" to all the Bedford folks, in his old age—a man of rare excellencies, some roughness and no show, who carried under his farmer's coat a heart as gentle as a woman's."—*Jonathan F. Stearns, D. D.*

Solomon Lane m. 29 May, 1781, by Rev. Josiah Stearns of Epping, N. H., SARAH, dau. of Rev. Josiah and Sarah (Abbott) STEARNS[5], (John[4,3,2], Isaac[1]). Her father, the Rev. Josiah Stearns, was b. in Billerica, Mass., 20 Jan., 1731-2, a graduate of Harvard College, 1751, pastor at Epping, N. H., Mar. 8, 1758, his pastorate and life terminating, 25 July, 1788. Tall in person, cultured in mind, devout and tender in spirit, he was no ordinary man. He was an unwavering friend of liberty. He sent his sons into the field and made large pecuniary sacrifices for the American cause. As he reached home from a State convention in Exeter, 1775, he called his children together, told them that he had pledged himself for freedom against rule and tyranny, and added, "If the cause prevail, it will be a great blessing to the country, but if it should fail, your poor old father's head will soon be a button for a hatter."

The Rev. Samuel Stearns, b. Epping, N. H., 8 Apr., 1770, graduated Phillips Exeter academy and Harvard college, 1794, the fourth minister of Bedford, Mass., Apr. 27, 1796, to his death, 26 Dec., 1834, was a brother of Mrs. Lane.

Mr. Lane's will, signed Mar. 9, 1826, was presented for probate, Apr. 11, 1837, son Oliver Wellington Lane executor. It gave bequests to daus., Anna Parkhurst and Sally Lane, to daughter-in-law, Amelia Lane, to grandchildren, Samuel Stearns Dutton, Laura Ann Dutton, Susanna Elizabeth Parkhurst, and Sarah Elizabeth

Lane, to Rev. Samuel Stearns, and to son, Oliver Wellington Lane. Mr. Solomon Lane died 1 Feb., 1837, æ. 80 years.

"Ah! warm affection cannot save
From pain and sickness and the grave;
But power divine our soul shall raise,
In endless life, God's love to praise."

Mrs. Sarah, wife of Mr. Solomon Lane, died 13 Aug., 1825, æ. 69 years.

"Draw near my friends and take a thought,
How soon the grave must be your lot;
Make sure of Christ while life remain,
And death shall be your eternal gain."

Children:

I. ANNA[6], b. 19 Aug., 1782, m. first, 28 Nov., 1805, SAMUEL DUTTON of Ashby, Mass., and had:

1. *Samuel Stearns.* 2. *Solomon Lane.* 3. *Laura Ann*, m. *Varnum Spaulding.*

Mrs. Dutton m. second, SAMUEL PARKHURST.

II. JOSIAH[6], b. 9 July, 1785, d. 8 Apr., 1787, æ. 1 yr., 9 ms.

III. JOSIAH STEARNS[6], b. 11 Nov., 1787, m. 11 Feb., 1813, by Rev. Samuel Stearns, AMELIA, dau. of Oliver GRAGG of Groton, Mass., and d. 21 Sept., 1815, æ. 28. They had only:

1. *Josiah Stearns*[7], b. 24 Dec., 1813, d. the day following his father's death, 22 Sept., 1815, æ. 1 yr., 9 ms.

"They've fought the fight, their race is run,
Their joys in heaven are now begun;
Their tears are gone, their sorrows flee,
No more afflicted now like me."

IV. SALLY[6], b. 30 Apr., 1789, unm., d. 7 Nov., 1854, æ. 65 years.

V. ENOCH[6], b. 7 Feb., 1793; d. 11 Oct., 1799, æ. 6 ys., 8 ms.

56. VI. OLIVER WELLINGTON[6], b. 16 June, 1794, m. CATHERINE WALTON and HARRIET BLINN.

VII. ABIGAIL FRENCH[6], b. 23 Mar., 1799, d. 17 July, 1800, æ. 1 yr., 4 ms.

VIII. DANIEL[6], b. 5 Nov., 1800, d. 3 Oct., 1803, æ. 2 ys., 11 ms.

32.

DAVID LANE[5] (James[4.3], John[2], Job[1]), 1759–1842, was b. in Bedford, Mass., 11 Mar., 1759.

Return of Capt. John Moore's militia company Apr. 3, 1776, of soldiers in the Concord Fight, Apr. 19, 1775: "Fifer David Lane, travelled 33 miles, in service 11 days."

He lived on a part of the homestead in Bedford and m. first, 11 Oct., 1781, by Rev. Joseph Penniman, MOLLY LANE[5] (Job[4.3], John[2], Job[1]), who d. 12 Dec., 1820.

Epitaph:

"Farewell my friends, I sleep in dust,
Till the last trump awakes the just;
Therefore retire and cease your tears,
Prepare to meet when Christ appears."

—*Tombstone.*

He m. second, by Rev. Samuel Stearns, 30 Apr., 1822, PHEBE LANE[5] (Samuel[4], John[3.2], Job[1]), who d. 8 July, 1838, æ. 65 years. David Lane d. 10 Sept., 1842, æ. 83 years.

Children:

I. MOLLY[6], b. 23 Apr., 1782, m. 11 Mar., 1802, THADDEUS WILSON[6] (James[5.4], Francis[3], John[2.1]); he b. 16 Nov., 1778.

II. SUSANNA[6], b. 14 Oct., 1785, m. 28 Nov., 1805, SAMUEL HASTINGS of Waltham, Mass.

III. JOB[6], b. 3 Apr., 1789, d. 15 Nov., 1814, æ. 25 ys., 7 ms.

IV. AMITTAI BACON[6], b. 26 July, 1793, m. Mr. HILL and d. 13 Sept., 1842.

57. V. DAVID[6], b. 15 July, 1799, m. BETSEY B. SIMONDS.

VI. JAMES[6], b. 15 July, 1799, d. 17 Dec., 1859, æ. 60 years. Property was put in trust for the two brothers, "James the feeble minded and David the thirsty."

VII. SYLVANIA[6], b. 17 Sept., 1801, m. BENJAMIN BACON, 3d[8], (Benj.[7.6.5.4], Michael[3.2.1]); he b. Bedford, 13 Jan., 1801, and d. 1888. They had:

1. *Martha Sylvania*, b. 31 July, 1822; then moved from town.

33.

JONAS LANE, ESQ.[5] (Samuel[4], James[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1761–1848, was b. in Bedford, Mass., 10 May, 1761. Was educated in the common schools; from 15 to 21 years of age was apprenticed to the boot and shoe trade with David Abbot in Billerica, Mass.; in 1782, shipped in the privateer Marquis LaFayette, under Capt. John Buffington of Salem, Mass., and afterwards went in a merchant vessel with Letters of Marque, spending 4 months in Nantes, France, till peace was declared. In July, 1783, he located in Lancaster, Mass., where he purchased the Phelps estate, June 22, 1785. His shop, stock and accounts were burned, July 14, 1786. The same year he aided in suppressing Shay's Insurrection, as sergeant under Capt. Beaman, Col. Stevens and Gen. Lincoln, marching all night from Old Hadley to Petersham, where Shay's party was routed and broken up. He rebuilt his house and moved into it, Oct. 30, 1788. He held a commission in the militia 15 years, last as colonel; assessor 15 years, selectman 5 years, representative 6 years, justice of the peace 20 years, deacon of the First Church, Lancaster, 30 years. His name appears in Worcester Co. Records as a party in the transfer of real estate, June 22, 1785, June 2, Oct. 12, 1786, Nov. 18, Dec. 10, 1812, Apr. 1, 1827, May 5, 1829, Jan. 24, 1833. He erected monuments in Bedford, Mass., in 1804, to his parents and sister Rebecca. His will signed Dec. 17, 1833, Anthony Lane sole executor, codicil dated Jan. 15, 1845, Jonas H. Lane joint executor, presented for probate, July 4, 1848, . . . "My executors to retain the Family Tomb for the use of the family and on no terms or conditions to dispose of the same."

Deacon Lane d. of old age, 6 June, 1848, æ. 87 ys., 7 ds., "having a good hope, through faith in Jesus Christ, of the resurrection to eternal life." Rev. Geo. M. Bartol offered prayer at the funeral and his remains were placed in the family tomb he had built at Lancaster.

He m. first, by Rev. Timothy Harrington, 5 Oct., 1788, DOLLY BULLARD, who was b. 26 Aug., 1767, and d. of consumption, 26 Feb., 1795, æ. 27 ys., 6 ms., dau. of Josiah and Sally (Carter) Bullard of Lancaster. He m. second, by Rev. Francis Gardner,

JONAS LANE.

20 Apr., 1796, EUNICE KENDALL, of Leominster, Mass., who was b. 20 Apr., 1766, and d. of consumption, 2 Aug., 1807, æ. 41 ys., 3 ms., 13 ds., dau. of Jonas[4] and Elizabeth (Bennett) Kendall (Samuel[3], Thomas[2], Francis[1]). He m. third, by Rev. Nathaniel Thayer, 30 July, 1809, SALLY HAWKS, who was b. 10 Oct., 1778, and d. of fever, 12 Mar., 1813, æ. 34 ys., 5 ms., 2 ds., dau. of John and Hannah Hawks of Lancaster. He m. fourth, by Rev. Nathaniel Thayer, D. D., 5 Mar., 1828, LYDIA WAITE, b. Malden, Mass., 2 Mar., 1777, and d. 24 Feb., 1862, æ. 85 ys., 11 ms., 22 ds., dau. of David and Rebecca (Wood) Waite, who had fled to Malden when Charlestown, Mass., was burned, Mar. 2, 1777.

The will of Lydia (Waite) Lane, signed Nov. 5, 1861, and presented for probate, Apr. 4, 1862, besides personal legacies bequeathed "to the Ladies' Society of which I am a member in Lancaster $500; if the said Society shall be given up, it is to be added to the fund for poor widows in said Lancaster, the interest only to be used annually; to the Mass. Bible Society $700; Anthony Lane residuary legatee and executor."

Children:

I. JONAS[6], b. 22 Dec., 1789, d. of dysentery, 5 Sept., 1791, æ. 1 yr., 8 ms., 14 ds.

II. JONAS[6], b. 21 Oct., 1791, d. 29 Aug., 1797, æ. 5 ys., 10 ms., 8 ds.

58. III. ANTHONY[6], b. 28 Sept., 1793, m. MARY MILES WHITE and ABIGAIL R. CARTER.

By second marriage:

IV. DOLLY BALLARD[6], b. 25 Jan., 1797, d. 10 Mar., 1798, æ. 1 yr., 1 mo., 13 ds.

59. V. JONAS HENRY[6], b. midnight, 27, 28 Jan., 1800, m. FRANCES A. BROWN.

VI. MARY ANN[6], b. 9 Aug., 1802, d. of dysentery, 23 Sept., 1805, æ. 3 ys., 1 mo., 14 ds.

VII. ELIZABETH[6], b. 1 July, 1805, d. of dysentery, 13 Sept., 1805, æ. 2 ms., 13 ds.

VIII. SON[6], b. 17 July, 1807, d. same day.

By third marriage:

IX. SARAH ANN[6], b. 14 Sept., 1810, d. of general debility, 1 Oct., 1862, æ. 52 ys., 17 ds. "The church, Sunday school, Benevolent and Social circles, all felt her worth—a bright pattern of the Christian life, whom to know was to honor, whom to miss was to mourn."

X. MARY HAWKS KENDALL BALLARD[6], b. 1 Mar., 1813, d. of dysentery, 30 July, 1813, æ. 5 ms.

34.

EPHRAIM LANE[5] (Samuel[4], James[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1767–1837, was b. in Bedford, Mass., 22 Mar., 1767. Soon after his majority he wended his way on foot, with a pack on his back, to Walpole, N. H., and stopped over night at the tavern of Alexander Watkins. About 1790 he purchased the property afterwards known as the "Lane Mills." In the business of milling he accumulated the nucleus of his subsequent gains. His education was necessarily limited, but "he early learned that one hundred cents make a dollar, which many of our college educated young men learn too late, if at all." By industry, frugality and careful loans he became the monied man in town and brought up a family of nine children.

Mr. Lane m. in 1793, ELIZABETH DANFORTH ABBOTT[5] (Solomon[4], David[3], Benjamin[2], George[1], of Andover, Mass.), she b. Dracut, Mass., 12 Oct., 1769, "an highly estimable woman possessing all the womanly virtues." In girlhood she worked out at twenty-five cents a week and was paid in flax, which she spun into fine thread and sold to the gentry to be wrought into lawns. Thus she procured money to purchase her scanty wardrobe. Schooled from childhood to prudence and economy, she was ever ready to help the needy and destitute. Their seven girls, with only common school advantages, made model housewives, and six of them good mothers.

Mr. Lane d. of cholera morbus, 15 Aug., 1837, æ. 70 ys., 4 ms., 24 ds. Mrs. Lane d. of catarrh, 5 July, 1857, æ. 86 ys., 8 ms., 23 ds.

ORIGINAL HOUSE BUILT BY JONAS LANE, IN 1786, LANCASTER, MASS. PHOTOGRAPHED IN 1896.

Children:

I. REBECCA[6], b. 7 Apr., 1794, m. 15 Mar., 1815, DAVID PULSIFER, Jr., of Rockingham, Vt., and d. of heart disease, 5 Feb., 1847, æ. 53 years. He was b. 6 Dec., 1791, and d. 14 Dec., 1865. Their children:

1. *Elvira*, b. 7 Mar., 1816, m. 18 Jan., 1843, *William Hooper* of Walpole, and had:

1) Frank William, b. 11 Feb., 1851.
2) George Dana, b. 4 Sept., 1859, m. 31 Dec., 1871, Eliza W. Duncan.

2. *Lewis*, b. 9 Apr., 1817, d. 21 June, 1825.
3. *Dana*, b. 9 Sept., 1818.
4. *Mary*, b. 30 Apr., 1820, d. 15 July, 1821.
5. *Mary*, b. 13 Nov., 1821, d. 24 Sept., 1822.
6. *Sophia*, b. 18 Feb., 1823.
7. *George*, b. 9 July, 1824, d. 21 Oct., 1854.
8. *Elizabeth*, b. 26 July, 1826, m. 2 June, 1847, *Robert W. Willey*, and d. 29 Nov., 1873, æ. 47 years.
9. *Lewis*, b. 5 Oct., 1828, d. 10 Nov., 1875.

II. SUSAN[6], b. 1 Oct., 1796, m. 29 Jan., 1820, ELIAS PULSIFER, brother of David, and d. of old age, at Saxton's River, Vt., 7 June, 1880, æ. 83 years. He was b. 20 June, 1794, and d. 23 June, 1858. Their children:

1. *George Franklin*, b. 11 Aug., 1821, d. 1 Oct., 1821.
2. *Martha Adaline*, b. 9 Apr., 1823, m. 6 Sept., 1842, *Othniel Edson*, and d. 28 May, 1859.
3. *Ira Allen*, b. 10 Feb., 1826, m. 4 Dec., 1861, *Ruth Brown Pollard*, and d. 19 Nov., 1865.

III. BETSEY[6], b. 25 Jan., 1799, m. 31 Dec., 1833, HORACE REYNOLDS of Putney, Vt., had son and daughter, and d. of general debility.

IV. MARY[6], b. 3 Sept., 1801, m. 19 Jan., 1826, JAMES HOOPER, Jr., a thriving farmer in Walpole for more than forty years, and removed to Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 1, 1870. He was b. 31 Aug., 1803, and d. 31 Dec., 1877, æ. 74 ys., 4 ms., son of James and Eleanor (Wellington) Hooper. Mrs. Hooper in 1893 furnished many items for this family history. Their children:

1. *Lucretia Sophia*, b. 12 Oct., 1829.
2. *Warren Lane*, b. 11 Dec., 1832, a successful merchant in Boston.
3. *Isabella Almira*, b. 24 July, 1836, m. *Jonas Henry Lane*[7] (Jonas H.[6], Jonas[5], Samuel[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]).

60. V. GEORGE[6], b. 25 Nov., 1803, m. SARAH A. DUNSHEE and ELIZABETH BAILEY.

VI. PHEBE[6], b. 25 Jan., 1806, m. 3 Mar., 1829, CHESTER WIER, Jr., of Walpole, and d. of cholera morbus, 24 Sept., 1880, æ. 74 years. He d. 22 Jan., 1837, æ. 33 years. Four children:

1. *Julia Elizabeth*, b. 19 Nov., 1829, m. 9 Mar., 1851, *Thomas Seaver*, and d. 19 Aug., 1878, æ. 47 ys., 9 ms.
2. *Flora Sophia*, b. 7 Mar., 1832, d. 25 May, 1838, æ. 6 ys., 2 ms.
3. *Henry Lane*, b. 19 Apr., 1834, m. ——, and d. 30 Aug., 1874, æ. 40 ys., 4 ms.
4. *George Chester*, b. 15 July, 1836, d. 11 Mar., 1838.

VII. SOPHIA[6], b. 10 July, 1808, m. 31 Mar., 1835, OLIVER HUNTINGTON of Walpole, and d. 25 Jan., 1857. He was a farmer, b. 25 Oct., 1794. Children, two daus. were mutes and m. mutes:

1. *Edward Lane*, b. 23 Oct., 1838, d. a soldier in the Civil War at Oshkosh, Wis., 8 Oct., 1862.
2. *Sophia Mary*, b. 17 Mar., 1842, m. 18 Mar., 1868, *James Kine* of Waterbury, Conn.
3. *Almira Susan*, b. 28 Dec., 1844, m. 11 Nov., 1867, *Frank Worcester* of Lowell, Mass.
4. *Abby Rebecca*, b. 7 Apr., 1850.

VIII. ALMIRA[6], b. 8 Jan., 1811, m. 23 May, 1839, CHARLES HOOPER of Walpole, and d. 18 Jan., 1891. He was b. 16 Dec., 1809, a brother of James, Jr., extensively engaged in general farming and sheep-husbandry, accumulating large gains and meeting with heavy losses. No children.

IX. LEWIS[6], b. 22 Apr., 1813, m. 27 Oct., 1841, MARY P., dau. of Elisha and Sally (Russell) ANGIER, lived at Walpole, and d. of paralysis at Keene, N. H., 17 Mar., 1886, æ. 72 ys., 10 ms., 26 ds. Two sons resided in Keene:

1. *Warren Hooper*[7], b. 23 Feb., 1854.
2. *Abbott Angier*[7], b. 29 Oct., 1857.

35.

EBENEZER LANE[5] (Samuel[4], James[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1771–1846, b. Bedford, Mass., 14 May, 1771, m. first, in Boston, by Rev. John Murray, 21 May, 1797, HANNAH CUNNINGHAM. She was b. Balltown, Me., 19 Aug., 1771, dau. of James and Mary (Mackintire) Cunningham. They resided in Boston and West Cambridge, now Arlington, Mass. She d. of consumption, 21

Nov., 1812, æ. 41 yrs., 3 ms., 2 ds. He m. second, 30 Aug., 1815, Widow SALLY WESTON of Boston, who d. of cancer, 28 Oct., 1842, æ. 72 ys., 7 ms., 9 ds. He was a card maker and d. in New York city of marasmus, 14 Feb., 1746, æ. 75 yrs., and was placed in the family tomb at Arlington.

Ebenezer Lane thus characterized the Lanes:

"They have always been remarkable for their industrious habits and high moral character. Although few of them anywhere have attained to what the world calls greatness, the most of them have held a highly respectable rank among their fellows. I have never known one of them or their descendants to be arraigned or imprisoned for a violation criminal of the laws of the land."

Children:

I. MARY[6], b. Boston, 22 Mar., 1778, m. in New York city by Rev. Edward Mitchell, 18 Mar., 1819, ABRAHAM WANDLE COOPER; he b. Tappan, N. Y., 25 July, 1794, and d. 14 Apr., 1842, æ. 47 ys., 8 ms., 19 ds. She d. 11 Nov., 1884. Their children born in New York city:

1. *Maria*, b. 26 Feb., 1820.
2. *Ebenezer Lane*, b. 9 Nov., 1821.
3. *Lucretia*, b. 24 Nov., 1823.
4. *Washington Lafayette*, b. 2 Feb., 1826, d. 13 May, 1826.
5. *Washington Lafayette*, b. 3 June, 1829, d. 21 Aug., 1831.
6. *Hannah Eliza*, b. 22 Mar., 1830, d. 17 Sept., 1834.
7. *Sarah Catherine*, b. 15 Aug., 1833, d. 26 Sept., 1834.
8. *Washington Lafayette*, b. 5 Sept., 1835, firm Cooper & Dockstader, 78 Gold street, New York city.

II. DANIEL[6], b. W. Cambridge, 22 Dec., 1799, d. 17 Aug., 1802, æ. 2 ys., 7 ms., 25 ds.

III. HANNAH CUNNINGHAM[6], b. 27 Feb., 1802, m. in New York city, by Rev. Edward Mitchell, 24 Dec., 1822, WILLIAM MACDOUGALL; he b. Philadelphia, Pa., 1 Mar., 1797, and d. 1 Mar., 1866, æ. 69 yrs. She d. 19 Apr., 1888. Children born in New York city:

1. *Sarah*, b. 21 Feb., 1825, m. *Abner Osborn*, and d. 29 Oct., 1868, æ. 43 ys., 8 ms., 28 ds.
2. *John Smith*, b. 13 June, 1827, d. 3 Apr., 1846, æ. 18 ys., 9 ms., 20 ds.
3. *Jonas Lane*, b. 25 Feb., 1830, d. 15 Aug., 1861, æ. 31 ys., 5 ms., 20 ds.
4. *Margaret Ann*, b. 17 Mar., 1833, d. 26 Feb., 1835, æ. 1 yr., 11 ms., 9 ds.

5. *Mary Eliza*, b. 4 Sept., 1834, d. 20 May, 1836, æ. 1 yr., 8 ms., 10 ds.
6. *Daniel Lane*, b. 22 Mar., 1837.
7. *William*, b. 26 May, 1838.
8. *Eleanor Gillespie*, b. 24 July, 1840, d. 10 July, 1841, æ. 11 ms., 17 ds.

IV. ELIZA BRADLEE[6], b. 20 May, 1804, m. in New York city by Rev. Edward Mitchell, 17 June, 1830, GEORGE LIPPENCOTT; he b. Howell, N. Y., 19 Aug., 1801, and d. 12 June, 1887. She was living June 27, 1893, "in sound mind and memory." Their children:

1. *Calvin Griswold*, b. 5 Apr., 1831, baker and confectioner, New York city.
2. *Mary Cooper*, b. 19 Sept., 1832, d. 2 May, 1887.

61. V. WASHINGTON JEFFERSON[6], b. 16 Feb., 1807, m. CYNTHIA CLARK.

VI. DANIEL[6], b. 12 Feb., 1809, m. in New York city, by Rev. Edward Mitchell, 5 Oct., 1831, MARY FRANSWAY, and d. 11 Feb., 1850. She was b. in N. Y. City 11 Feb., 1811. They had children.

VII. EBENEZER[6], b. 12 Sept., 1812, d. 27 Nov., 1812, æ. 2 ms., 16 ds.

36.

SAMUEL LANE[5], (Samuel[4], James[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1778–1823, b. Bedford, Mass., 15 Jan., 1778, m. by Rev. Samuel Stearns, 28 May, 1801, LUCY R., who was b. 30 Nov., 1777, dau. of Timothy and Rebecca (Putnam) JONES of Bedford. He moved to North Brookfield, Mass., and paid Peter Harvard $1,400 for a farm of 74 acres, Apr. 1, 1811. He d. by a fall from a cart, 2 Oct., 1823. His son, David W. Lane, administrator, presented inventory of $1,756.81, Nov. 18, 1823, and the account of the division of the estate was allowed, Oct. 5, 1824. MRS. LANE m. second, Thomas Wilson of Mason, N. H., and d. 8 Jan., 1864.

Children, three sisters married three brothers:

62. I. DAVID WOODWARD[6], b. Bedford, 28 Oct., 1801, m. ELIZA SWAN WITT.

II. MARY ANN[6], b. 24 Nov., 1803, m. by Rev. Ebenezer Hill

Mason, 28 June, 1832, FRANKLIN MERRIAM of Greenville, N. H. Their children:

1. *George Franklin*, b. 20 Oct., 1836. Graduated Amherst college, 1861, Union seminary 1864, ordained and installed, Mar. 9, 1865, pastor of Cong. church, Greenville, N. H., joined Hollis Association, Feb. 6, 1866; has two sons graduated at Amherst college.
2. *Abigail Rebecca*, b. 15 Mar., 1839.
3. *Daniel Lane*, b. 12 May, 1841.
4. *Joseph Bancroft*, b. 6 Dec., 1843.

III. SAMUEL RICHARDSON[6], b. 26 Feb., 1807, d. 25 Jan., 1825.

IV. LUCY REBECCA[6], b. 31 Mar., 1809, m. 3 May, 1827, ELISHA J. MERRIAM of Mason, N. H. Their children:

1. *Henry Wilson*, b. 20 June, 1828, a man of large wealth in Newton, N. J. A sister m. —— Huntington.
2. *Sarah Caroline*, b. 23 July, 1830.
3. *Samuel Lane*, b. 18 Oct., 1832.
4. *Edwin Elisha*, b. 3 Aug., 1836.
5. *John Jones*, b. 25 Sept., 1839.
6. *Harriet Maria*, b. 24 Apr., 1845.

V. ABIGAIL JONES[6], b. 1 Aug., 1810, m. by Rev. Thomas Snell, D. D., 8 Oct., 1829, Dea. TYLER BATCHELLER of North Brookfield, and d. in Boston, 10 Mar., 1877. Dea. Batcheller was b. in Sutton, Mass., 20 Dec., 1793, son of Ezra and Mary (Day) Batcheller; founded the Batcheller shoe manufactory in North Brookfield; m. first, 6 Apr., 1819, Nancy Jenks, who was the mother of the children.

VI. SARAH E.[6], b. No. Brookfield, 9 Dec., 1813, d. 9 Apr., 1818.

VII. MARTHA S.[6], b. 1 Nov., 1816, m. by Rev. Thos. Snell, D. D., 2 Apr., 1835, EDMUND MERRIAM of Mason, N. H.

Their children:

1. *James W.*, b. 7 Feb., 1837.
2. *Lucy M.*, b. 14 Aug., 1838.
3. *Martha J.*, b. 4 July, 1841.
4. *Charles C.*, b. 7 July, 1843.

63. VIII. JOHN JONES[6], b. 15 Dec., 1818, m. MARIETTA VAN MARTYR.

64. IX. DANIEL JOSIAH[6], b. 21 Feb., 1821, m. MARTHA E. BARSTOW.

37.

JOB LANE[6] (Luke[5], Job[4,3], John[2], Job[1]), 1794–1826, b. Bedford, Mass., 7 Aug., 1794, m. 16 Aug., 1815, by Rev. Samuel Stearns, MARY HADLEY of Bedford, who d. in 1866. With others he built tomb No. 10 in 1826, and d. intestate. Guardianship of the children, Mary E., Olive, Hannah, Andrew H. and William, was granted to Reuben Bacon, Feb. 19, 1827; adm. on estate granted to Thompson Bacon, Feb. 20, 1827; inventory exhibited, allowance to widow Mary Lane made, and administrator's account allowed, Mar. 6, 1827.

Children:

I. MARY ELIZABETH[7], b. 5 Mar., 1816, m. JEPHTHA PARKHURST, and d. 1852.

II. OLIVE M.[7], b. 9 Apr., 1817, d. unm. 24 Dec., 1881, æ. 64 ys., 8 ms., 15 ds.

III. HANNAH A.[7], b. 1819, m. 27 Nov., 1839, CHARLES C. COREY, and d. 10 May, 1884, æ. 65 ys., 6 ms. He was b. Groton, Mass., 19 Mar., 1816, son of Aaron, came to Bedford in 1831, established an express route between Bedford and Boston and later engaged in the lumber and grain business. He m. second, 22 July, 1888, Dora M. Holmes. Children:

1. *Elizabeth Adelaide*, b. Nov., 1840, m. Oct., 1867, *Ai Rollins*.
2. *Charles Andrew*, b. 23 May, 1842, m. 6 June, 1869, *Mary Ella Lane*[8] (Wm. A.[7], Oliver W.[6], Solomon[5], James[4,3], John[2], Job[1]), who d. 26 July, 1879. He was a grocer in Bedford, Justice of the Peace, town clerk 1871 more than a score of years, treasurer 1876 more than twenty years, representative 1881. Their children:

1) Lottie May, b. 24 June, 1870. 2) Mary Adelle, b. 25 July, 1876.

3. *George W.*, d. young.

IV. ANDREW H.[7], b. 1820, d. 1842.

V. WILLIAM[7].

38.

ELIAB BRIDGE LANE[6] (John[5,4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1780–1853, b. Bedford, Mass., 30 June, 1780, settled on a portion of the Winthrop Farm, his heirs selling a part of the estate. He m. first,

by Rev. Samuel Stearns, 21 Mar., 1802, ANNA WELLINGTON, dau. of Jotham and Priscilla Wellington, who d. 30 May, 1844, æ. 67 years.

"Now, therefore, harken unto me, O ye children,
For blessed are they that keep my ways."

Mr. Lane m. second, MRS. SALLY REED, and d. 9 Jan., 1853, æ. 73 years.

"Hear instruction and be wise."

Children:

I. ELIZA ANN[7], b. 17 May, 1804, m. WILLIAM EVERETT, his second wife, and d. 28 Jan., 1873. He was a chaise trimmer and harness maker, and d. 4 July, 1868. His memorial is seen in the meeting house, Bedford.

65. II. ABNER BRIDGE[7], b. 24 May, 1806, m. LYDIA BAILY.

III. SUSAN GRACE[7], b. 22 Jan., 1808, m. NATHANIEL C. CUTLER[3] (Thomas[2,1]) of Lexington, Mass., and d. 4 Feb., 1847.

IV. CATHERINE W.[7], b. 2 Sept., 1809, m. SILAS WILKINS.

V. GALEN[7], b. 24 Apr., 1811, d. 21 Nov., 1811, æ. 7 ms.

VI. MARY PRISCILLA[7], b. 12 Oct., 1812, m. 16 Apr., 1833, AMOS B. CUTTER, and d. 27 Nov., 1885. He was b. Ashley, Mass., 22 June, 1809, son of Isaac and grandson of Thomas of Lexington, Mass.; came to Bedford, Jan. 1, 1827, a carpenter and builder, Justice of the Peace, moderator several times, selectman 1842-44, 1850-51. They had in custody the "Lane Family Papers," from which extracts were published in the New England Genealogical Register, 1857. They were on the committee of antiquities for the sesquicentennial of Bedford in 1879. Their children were:

1. *Emerson Bartlett*, b. 1836.
2. *Frederick Amos*, b. 1840, m. *Sarah*, dau. of Varnum *Monroe*, furnished and erected an elegant liberty pole for Bedford's 150th anniversary, 1879.
3 and 4 d. young.

39.

CAPT. AMASA LANE[6], (John[5,4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1790–1865, b. 30 Apr., 1790, carried on the business of manufacturing bandboxes and shoes in Bedford; m. 4 July, 1822, BEULAH BURN-

HAM, and d. 11 Aug., 1865. She d. 23 Aug., 1891. Their descendants in 1890 were nine children, thirteen grandchildren and nineteen of the next generation. The town of Bedford received $50.00, May, 1893, to care for his burial lot, No. 70.

Children:

I. LOIS ELIZABETH[7], b. 8 Oct., 1823, m. 9 Jan., 1844, CYRUS F. CROSBY.

II. SARAH ANN[7], b. 29 May, 1829, m. 1849, GEORGE A. SAMPSON.

III. REUBEN A.[7], b. 2 Sept., 1831, m. 30 July, 1854, MARY LOUISA, b. 5 Oct., 1833, dau. of Elias and Louisa (Hartwell) SKELTON. Their dau., *Mary Louisa*, was b. Charlestown, 11 Mar., 1855.

IV. GEORGE E.[7], b. 6 Aug., 1834.

V. CHARLES H.[7], twin, b. 6 Aug., 1834, d. 10 Dec., 1865.

VI. FRANKLIN S.[7], b. 30 Jan., 1838, m. 1868, S. MARIA HODGKINS.

VII. LEMUEL B.[7], twin, b. 30 Jan., 1838, d. 22 May, 1866.

VIII. CAROLINE A.[7], b. 30 Aug., 1847, m. 1866, CHARLES J. DAVIS.

40.

ROGER LANE[6] (John[5,4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1795–1853, b. 1795-6, m. ZELINDA BACON, and resided in Bedford and Fitchburg, Mass. Roger Lane and Elbridge Merriam, both of Bedford, paid Stephen Houghton and others, $1,470.00, Nov. 5, 1833, for land in Fitchburg.—*Wor. Co. Deeds, 317 : 53*.

Mr. Lane d. 21 Dec., 1853, æ. 58 years. Mrs. Lane d. 29 Feb., 1856, æ. 54 years. The town of Bedford received $50.00 in 1892 to care for his burial lot, No. 100.

Children:

I. JOHN ROGER[7], b. 10 July, 1824.

II. MARY MARIA[7], b. 7 July, 1826, m. 24 Feb., 1847, HIRAM CLARK, b. Acworth, N. H., 12 Sept., 1815, son of Thomas and

Lydia (Woodbury) Clark. He settled as a farmer in Bedford, Mass., a man of unimpeachable integrity, and d. 26 Feb., 1891. She d. 18 Apr., 1885. Children:

1. *Annette M.*, b. 28 Feb., 1850.
2. *Mary Alice*, b. 16 Dec., 1852, d. 22 Nov., 1870.

66. III. GEORGE[7], b. 7 Aug., 1827, m. LAURA ANN SMITH.

IV. ELI[7], d. young.

V. CAROLINE[7], b. 5 May, 1831, m. CHARLES FOX, and d. 6 June, 1858.

VI. ELI[7], b. 3 Mar., 1833, d. May, 1857.

VII. EMELINE[7], d. young.

VIII. EMMA[7], b. 14 Sept., 1835, m., as his second wife, 9 Dec., 1869, Dr. ASA ALLEN HOWLAND, a descendant of the Pilgrim John Howland, 1620. He was b. 8 Feb., 1820, a dentist at Worcester, Mass. Their son:

William Arthur, b. 1 May, 1871.

IX. SUSAN[7], b. 20 Nov., 1836, m. first, 31 Dec., 1856, BRADLEY M. CLARK, b. 1820, son of Thomas and Lydia Clark; m. second, 9 May, 1884, JOSEPH LITCHFIELD.

X. ELIOT[7], b. 29 Dec., 1837, m. CYRUS MONROE, and d. 12 June, 1859.

XI. AMOS[7], d. young.

XII. SOPHRONIA[7], b. 21 Sept., 1840, m. FRANK GARDNER, and d. 9 Mar., 1888.

XIII. LAVINIA[7], b. 9 July, 1842, m. first, JOHN KYLE; second, NELSON GEORGE, third, HARRY RATTENBURY.

41.

ELIAS LANE[6] (Francis[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1785–1859, b. 21 Feb., 1785; res. Ashburnham, farmer, miller, selectman, etc.; m. 3 Sept., 1809, ANNA, dau. of Nathan JONES, b. 21 Jan., 1787, d. 30 Mar., 1853.

Elias Lane, yeoman, paid Francis and Sarah Lane, $500, July 7, 1809, for land in Ashburnham.—*Wor. Co. Deeds, 246: 420.*

Elias Lane, gentleman, paid Francis Lane, Esq., for land in Ashburnham, $403, Nov. 21, 1821.—*246: 421.*

He paid Francis Lane, Jr., gentleman, $165, for land in Ashburnham, May 29, 1822.—*246: 419.*

With Francis Kibling he paid John Kibling, $100, Nov. 4, 1823, for "a shop in Ashburnham, built for the purpose of turning wood and sawing clapboard, about eighty rods below said John Kibling's gristmill."—*246: 418.*

Elias Lane and Francis Lane, gentlemen, paid Samuel Foster, $400, May 29, 1824, for "land in Ashburnham, with one undivided half of the sawmill standing on the same."—*246: 422.*

With John Jones of Dublin, N. H., he paid Nathan and Nancy Jones, $500, Oct. 1, 1825, for 70 acres of land in Ashburnham.—*246: 423.*

The will of Elias Lane of Ashburnham, signed Apr. 2, 1859, and giving bequests to thirteen children and naming Jerome W. Foster executor, was presented for probate, Oct. 19, 1859.—*Wor. Co. Wills, 394: 194, 497.*

Mr. Lane d. 20 Aug., 1859. Fifteen children:

67. I. ELIAS COOLIDGE[7], b. 30 Dec., 1809; m. MARY FANVILLE.

II. SARAH ANN[7], b. 2 Mar., 1811, received a legacy of $1,000 by her father's will, Apr. 2, 1859, d. unm., 28 Feb., 1862.

III. GEORGE ETHERIDGE[7], b. 22 Apr., 1812, m. 15 Jan., 1840, MARY J., dau. of Enos and Tiporah (Hale) EMORY, b. 23 Jan., 1818; res. Fitchburg, Mass. George E. Lane of Ashburnham, gentleman, paid Joseph A. Gibson and wife, Miranda K. Gibson, $1,000, Mar. 24, 1837, for land in Ashburnham.—*322: 547.*

IV. GILBERT BAINBRIDGE[7], b. 17 June, 1813, m. ELIZA A. JONES; res. Chelsea, Vt., where he d. 9 June, 1860, leaving a son.

V. EDWIN PHILANDER[7], b. 28 Dec., 1814, d. unm., New Gloucester, Me., 30 Aug., 1838, æ. 24.

VI. CHARLES STILLMAN[7], b. 2 Mar., 1816, m. first, 17 Nov., 184—, HONOR GOODRICH; m. second, HELEN (Peitis) LAWTON; res. Brattleborough, Vt.

VII. LORENZO ALEXANDER[7], b. 26 Mar., 1817, m. REBECCA BROWN; res. Ashburnham, where he d. 12 Feb., 1881. She d. same day, 12 Feb., 1881.

VIII. ABIGAIL AMANDA[7], b. 25 May, 1818, m. 26 Nov., 1845, GEORGE W. TOWNSEND, and d. 19 Feb., 1884.

IX. MARY JONES[7], b. 27 July, 1820, d. 1 Apr., 1839.

X. MARCUS AURELIUS[6], b. 2 June, 1822, m. AMANDA OGDEN; res. Glen Falls, N. Y.

XI. ELIZA MARIA[7], b. 25 June, 1823, m. 11 Oct., 1848, CHARLES HENRY EMORY, b. 29 Mar., 1823, brother of Mary J., the wife of Geo. E. Lane; res. Fitchburg, a machinist, dau.:

1. *Lizzie M.*, b. 28 June, 1857.

XII. ABRAHAM LOWE[7], b. 23 Nov., 1824; res. Rindge, N. H., d. unm., 4 May, 1863. His will signed at Rindge, Apr. 7, 1863, giving legacies to five brothers and four sisters, and bequeathing $25 to be expended on the family burial lot in the new cemetery at Ashburnham, and naming James B. Robbins of Rindge, executor, was presented for probate July 7, 1863.—*Wor. Co. Wills, 396: 154, 384: 423.*

XIII. NANCY AUGUSTA[7], b. 24 Mar., 1826, d. 9 Sept., 1883, m. 8 Feb., 1849, HENRY A. SMITH, b. 5 June, 1817, son of Henry and Asenath Smith; res. Townsend, Mass., Rindge, N. H., and Franklin, N. H.

XIV. MARILLA JANE[7], b. 1 July, 1827, m. 24 Nov., 1850, PASCAL P. EMORY, b. 21 July, 1825, brother of Mary J., and Charles H.; res. Springfield, Mass. Children:

1. *Etta E.*, b. 2 Sept., 1856, d. 3 Nov., 1878.
2. *Flora J.*, b. 17 Apr., 1861, d. 9 Aug., 1861.
3. *Carrie J.*, b. 23 Feb., 1863.

XV. LUCY MATILDA[7], b. 30 June, 1829, m. 6 Jan., 1852, FRANCIS A., son of Ohio WHITING, and d. 16 Aug., 1861. He was farmer, school teacher and superintendent, assessor, selectman, trustee of Cushing Academy, Ashburnham. No children.

42.

CAPT. FRANCIS LANE[6] (Francis[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1787–1856, b. 20 Aug., 1787; captain of militia and successful miller at Lane Village, Ashburnham, Mass., m. 11 Nov., 1811, SUSANNA FOSTER, b. 25 Sept., 1789, d. 15 Mar., 1867, dau. of Samuel and Susanna (Wood) Foster, of Ashburnham. Francis Lane, Jr., gentleman, sold land in Ashburnham, to Elias Lane, gentleman, for $165, May 29, 1822.—*Wor. Co. Deeds, 246: 419.*

Francis Lane and Elias Lane, gentlemen, paid Samuel Foster, $400, May 29, 1824, for "land in Ashburnham, with one undivided half of a sawmill standing on the same."—*246: 422.*

Capt. Lane d. 11 Oct., 1856. Hosea F. Lane, administrator on the estate, returned an inventory of $5,055.50, Jan. 5, 1858.—*Wor. Co. Wills, 100: 385.*

Twelve children:

68. I. ALLEN FRANCIS[7], b. 24 Mar., 1812, m. LAURA P. TYLER.

II. HEPSIBAH C.[7], b. 14 June, 1813, m. 31 Aug., 1843, the second wife of ISRAEL A. PACKARD, b. 7 Sept., 1818, son of Nathan and Celia D. (Houghton) Packard, tanner, morocco dresser and farmer, Ashburnham. She d. 17 Sept., 1888. He d. 27 Nov., 1897. Their children:

1. *Charles F.*, b. 1844, d. 6 Aug., 1899. He m. and had:

1) Charles A., m. 28 May, 1898, Gertrude Wilson, Mason, N. H. 2) Alice M., a teacher. 3) Austin F., b. 30 May, 1890.

2. *Sarah Frances*, b. 1846, m. *A. Burnham* of Westminster, Mass., who d. 6 Aug., 1894. They had:

1) Mabelle E., b. 28 Nov., 1873, d. 29 Nov., 1873. 2) Dexter E., (adopted) b. 15 Dec., 1873, d. 15 Mar., 1874. 3) Arthur W., b. 8 May, 1877.

3. *Susan Rebecca*, b. 1848, m. *Augustus Searles*, and had:

1) Cora M., b. 8 Sept., 1870, d. 18 Oct., 1870.

4. *Henry Alfred*, b. 1852, m. and had:

1) Marion Augusta, b. 6 May, 1886. 2) Everett Augustus, b. 14 Feb., 1888. 3) Chester Henry, b. 7 Feb., 1890. 4) Nelson Alfred, b. 21 Jan., 1893. 5) Leon Andrus, b. 17 Feb., 1895.

5. *Mina A.*, b. 1856, d. 1866.

69. III. AMOS FOSTER[7], b. 30 June, 1815, m. MARTHA WARD.

70. IV. SAMUEL[7], b. 21 May, 1817, m. NANCY H. EATON.

71. V. MILTON[7], b. 27 Feb., 1819, m. MARY PARKHURST and JANE FLAGG.

VI. LEONARD[7], b. 21 Apr., 1821, m. 4 June, 1856, LUCY POLLARD, b. 25 Sept., 1822, dau. of Willard and Lucy (Spaulding) Pollard, res. Ashburnham. She d. 29 Aug., 1894. Daughter:

1. *Ada Estelle*[8], b. 10 May, 1859, d. 1 Jan., 1863.

VII. HOSEA[7], b. 20 Apr., 1823, d. 7 Aug., 1828.

VIII. SUSAN W.[7], b. 23 Jan., 1825; res. Ashburnham. Died 30 July, 1899.

IX. REBECCA CLARISSA[7], b. 29 Jan., 1827, m. 14 June, 1860, the second wife of MERRICK, b. 30 Sept., 1811, son of Josiah EATON. They res. Ashburnham, where he d. 16 Feb., 1875. No children.

X. ELEANOR JANE[7], b. 27 Jan., 1829, m. DANIEL WALKER LANE[7]. (Benj.[6-5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]).

72. XI. HOSEA FOSTER[7], b. 7 Feb., 1831, m. EUNICE ELIZABETH FAIRBANKS.

XII. CHARLES W.[7], b. 15 Aug., 1833, m. 31 Oct., 1867, PHILENA, b. 20 Jan., 1834, dau. of Josiah Howard, and wid. of Horace C. PACKARD of Hinsdale, N. H. Res. on the homestead, Ashburnham. She d. 21 Nov., 1888. Child:

1. *Harry Charles*[8], b. 29 Jan., 1872.

43.

JOSIAH LANE[6] (Benj.[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1782–1876, b. 28 Mar., 1782. Benjamin Lane of Ashburnham, with John Lane of Bedford, and Ziba Lane of Billerica, sureties, gave bond, Dec. 1, 1784, and was appointed guardian to Josiah Lane his son, a minor about two years old and grandson of Ebenezer Page, late of Bedford.

Josiah Lane of Ashburnham, paid his father, Benjamin Lane, and wife Isabel, $200, Apr., 23, 1803, for 20 acres of land in Ashburnham.—*Wor. Co. Deeds, 153: 371.*

With wife, Nancy Lane, he sold John Adams, Jr., land in Ashburnham, for $50, Apr. 20, 1825.—*246: 417.*

Josiah Lane, and wife, Nancy Lane, sold to Charles W. Wilder, for $1,200, May 25, 1829, 6 acres of land in Ashburnham, with dwelling house, barn, grist and saw mill.—*267: 621.*

He m. 28 Mar., 1805, NANCY WILDER, dau. of Caleb and Elizabeth (Woodward) Wilder, b. 23 Oct., 1786, d. Somerville, 4 May, 1853. Mr. Lane res. Ashburnham, Cambridge, 1828, d. Anoka, Minn., 28 Feb., 1876, æ. 94.

Thirteen children:

I. JULIA ANN CUSHING[7], b. 7 Oct., 1805, m. 22 Jan., 1835, H. A. HARRINGTON, and d. in Anoka, Minn., 10 Feb., 1881.

II. MARY JANE WOODWARD[7], b. 19 July, 1807, m. JOHN L. PRATHER.

III. CHARLES W.[7], b. 31 Jan., 1809, d. 2 Dec., 1809.

IV. GEORGE V.[7], b. 28 Nov., 1810, d. 7 Oct., 1813.

V. NANCY W.[7], b. 28 Feb., 1812, d. 2 Dec., 1813.

VI. ALEXANDER PAGE[7], b. 30 Aug., 1814, m. 1836, Anna M. Favor; res. Eureka Springs, Ark.

VII. AUGUSTA JOY[7], b. 26 Dec., 1815, m. 1841, SARAH SKIDMORE, and d. at Wilbraham, 11 Oct., 1880.

VIII. ELECTA FRANCES WILDER[7], b. 19 June, 1817, m. 31 Dec., 1837, AQUILLA WILLETTE, and d. 2 Sept., 1839, at Davenport, Iowa.

IX. DAVID HYSLOP[7], b. 2 Apr., 1820, m. 13 July, 1845, HARRIET L. BETTINSON, and d. Anoka, Minn., 13 Nov., 1878.

X. JOSEPH HAYDEN[7], b. 25 Oct., 1822, m. HESTER PRATHER; res. Chicago, Ill.

XI. GEORGE S. W.[7], b. 15 Sept., 1824, d. 15 Feb., 1825.

XII. JOHN S. W.[7], twin, b. 15 Sept., 1824, m. 31 Dec., 1848, SARAH CUSHING; res. Brighton, Mass.

XIII. THOMAS PARKMAN CUSHING[7], b. 30 May, 1827, m. 18 Dec., 1861, HELEN M. ROSE; res. Mattoon, Ill.

44.

BENJAMIN LANE[6] (Benjamin[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1795–1880, b. Ashburnham, Mass., 23 June, 1795, m. 23 Dec., 1823, ABIGAIL WALKER, dau. of Capt. Jesse and Sarah (Emerson) Walker, of New Ipswich, N. H. He was a farmer at Ashburnham, and d. 18 Oct., 1880.

Nine children:

73. I. DANIEL WALKER[7], b. 4 Dec., 1824, m. JERUSHA E. BEMIS.

II. SARAH[7], b. 8 Aug., 1827, d. 13 Jan., 1828.

74. III. MARTIN B.[7], b. 4 Sept., 1828, m. CARRIE N. ADAMS.

IV. GEORGE[7], b. 23 Sept., 1829, m. 27 Aug., 1860, MARY A. CUSTELLA, she b. 15 Mar., 1837. He was a merchant at Newton, Mass. Their children:

1. *Cora M.*[8], b. 30 Aug., 1861, m. 8 Oct., 1894, *Willard Burnham Currier.*
2. *George William*[8], b. 21 Dec., 1862, is with the dry goods firm of C. H. Newhall, Malden, Mass.
3. *Anna Mary*[8], b. 18 May, 1864.
4. *Clara Emeline*[8], b. 5 Feb., 1869, d. 19 May, 1869.
5. *Laura Mabel*[8], twin, b. 2 Apr., 1871.
6. *Lena Marion*[8], twin, b. 2 Apr., 1871, d. 5 Aug., 1871.

V. SARAH ABIGAIL[7], b. 31 Mar., 1831, m. 5. Oct., 1865, JOSEPH HAYNE; res. Malden, Mass., and d. 10 Sept., 1893.

VI. MARY ANN[7], b. 5 Apr., 1832, d. 5 July, 1842.

VII. EMELINE[7], b. 20 June, 1834, d. 13 July, 1854.

VIII. SOPHRONIA ASENATH[7], b. 20 Oct., 1835, d. 17 Oct., 1863.

IX. SEWALL STEARNS[7], b. 28 Aug., 1838, m. 7 Feb., 1867, SARAH JOSEPHINE LOVETT of New Ipswich, N. H., she b. 17 Jan., 1843. He was a merchant in Gardner, Mass., P. O. address, 1899, Ashmont, Dorchester, Mass.; is interested in the family history. One son:

1. *Arthur Clarence*[8], b. Ashburnham, Mass., 20 Nov., 1871, m. *Elizabeth Gertrude Wolmsley*, she b. 24 Sept., 1879.

45.

ZIBA LANE[6] (Ziba[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1782–1866, was born in Billerica, Mass., 31 Jan., 1782, a farmer and tradesman, lived in Amherst, N. H., and on the Kennebec river, Maine, and at Lyons, N. Y. He m. 9 Jan., 1806, FRANCES GORDEN DENNIS.

When Levi their first child was a babe in arms they moved to Maine. They had to cross the Kennebec river. It was rapidly rising on account of recent rains. There was but little time. With Spartan-like decision and courage the mother seized as many of her treasures as she could carry and her baby by his dress in her teeth and crossed in safety. Just as she stepped upon the opposite bank the swift water carried away the log that had served as a bridge. After the war of 1812, the family removed to the wilds of Wayne Co., New York. Four Lane brothers joined a New England colony and proceeded most of the way on foot. The boy Levi at 86 years of age remembered how startled the people were on the way, fearing the approach of the British. To the eyes of the boy the guns of the company as they were stacked looked like a forest. When the travelers reached Utica, and the residents found they were not enemies, there was great rejoicing. At Utica, they met with Indians, still restless and seemingly dangerous. The fright was now with the Yankee parents, who refused the request of the Indians to take charge of the baby—Lavinia now. But at length the Indians seemed so kind, they were allowed to take the child. Then the redskins danced with pleasure, held a real powwow, did not hurt the child in the least, but assisted in carrying her and some of the goods a long distance. It was a great treat for the Indians to carry a white baby. Five miles north of the present county seat of Lyons, in the wild forest, broken only here and there by a lonely settlement, Mr. Lane, in 1814, took up a claim and made his home, and went to Geneva to mill. He raised a large and happy family.

Mr. Lane d. at Lyons, 20 Jan., 1866, æ. 84 years. Mrs. Lane was b. 20 Dec., 1784, and d. 11 Jan., 1868.

Ten children:

75. I. LEVI[7], b. Amherst, N. H., Thursday, 13 Nov., 1806, m. SALLY BURNET.

II. LUTHER[7], b. Friday, 29 Jan., 1808, m. EMILY WATSON, and had one son and two daughters.

III. LORENZO[7], b. Wednesday, 1 Nov., 1809, m. MARIA LARNE, and had two daughters.

IV. LYDIA[7], b. Thursday, 23 Jan., 1812, m. 2 Oct., 1828, RENSSELEAR MERCHANT, and d. 30 May, 1874. Children:

1. *Nelson*, b. Monday, 24 May, 1830, m. *Julia A. Griffith*.
2. *Eleanor*, b. Wednesday, 29 Oct., 1834, m. *Enoch Gridley*.
3. *Lydia*, b. Saturday, 5 Jan., 1839, m. *Herchel Munn*.
4. *Rensselear*, b. 27 July, 1846, d. young.

V. LOVINA[7], b. Sunday, 13 Mar., 1814, m. JOHN RIGGS, and had four boys and one girl.

VI. LOREN[7], b. Lyons, Wednesday, 25 Sept., 1816, m. TAMMA VAN MARTER, and had three boys and one girl.

VII. FRANCIS B.[7], b. Friday, 25 Dec., 1818, m. MARTHA SPEARS, and had one boy and one girl.

VIII. JOHN[7], b. Monday, 2 Apr., 1821, unm., d. 1842.

IX. FANNY G.[7], b. Saturday, 31 Dec., 1825, m. first, C. HORTON; m. second, D. WALTON, by whom she had two sons and one daughter.

X. NANCY[7], b. Thursday, 30 June, 1831, m. JOHN NICHOLS, and had two sons.

46.

FRANCIS BOWMAN LANE[6] (Ziba[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), b. Billerica, Mass., 24 Sept., 1787, tradesman, Lockport, N. Y., d. 1 Mar., 1849, m. ROXINDA PARLIN, who was b. 5 Jan., 1792, d. 2 Feb., 1856.

Six children:

I. JONAS P.[7], b. 23 Jan., 1809, d. 16 Jan., 1863.

II. CHARLES B.[7], b. 17 Dec., 1810.

III. NANCY P.[7], b. 10 June, 1815.

IV. ALMA ANN[7], b. 5 May, 1820.

V. MARY E.[7], b. 1 July, 1822.

VI. FRANCES ELLEN[7], b. 26 June, 1829.

47.

JOHN LANE[6] (Ziba[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1793–1857, b. Amherst, N. H., 2 Jan., 1793, m. first, MRS. PATTY HOPKINS, and moved to Pittsford, N. Y., where he m. second, 23 July, 1826, LUCY OLMSTEAD of Ridgefield, Conn.; moved in 1833, to Homer, Will Co., Ill., where he d. suddenly, 5 Oct., 1857. Mrs. Lane d. 15 Oct., 1866. A fine man—so gentle and of such an estimable nature.

"The name of John Lane, Sr., should stand side by side with that of Fulton and Morse and McCormick, as one of the great inventors of the country. He was an accomplished mechanic and practical farmer. He invented and made the first steel plough, in 1835, the use of which has proved of national importance and is now essential to the agricultural progress of all civilized nations . . . . He absolutely refused to take out a patent on his valuable invention, saying that if it was of any value or service to his brother farmers and mechanics they were cordially welcome to it. . . . . His remarkable inventive genius and personal high character, it is the object of this address to commemorate."—*Dr. J. F. Daggett at Reunion of Pioneers of Will Co., Ill., 1890.*

Three children by first wife:

I. MARTHA[7], b. 20 Nov., 1822, m. 1 Jan., 1840, JOSEPH M. WEEKS, and had two children:

1. *Harry Y.*
2. *Charles B.*

Mr. Weeks d. in 1863, and she m. second, E. WARNER of Albion, Mich.

II. EMMA[7], d. at the age of seven months.

Jonathan Lane

1788-1860.

76. III. JOHN[7], b. 25 Sept., 1825, m. MARY ELIZA RODGERS.

By second wife, two children:

IV. LUCY M.[7], b. 16 June, 1827, d. 19 Jan., 1885, m. 31 Dec., 1846, JOHN S. RAMSEY, who d. in 1857. Two children:

1. *Mary F.*, b. Feb., 1848, m. 21 Sept., 1871, *Edward Goodnoh* of Lockport, Ill.
2. *George Lane*, b. 2 Jan., 1857, d. 22 Oct., 1885.

V. MARY FRANCES[7], b. 4 Sept., 1830, m. 12 Apr., 1857, JAMES D. FRAZER of Lockport, Ill., and had three children:

1. *John* D., b. 29 Mar., 1858, m. 1881, *Bernice Garrison*, and had:

1) James D., b. 1883.
2) Jessie G., b. 1885.
3) George Carlysle, b. 1892.

2. *Martha J.*, b. 16 Jan., 1863, m. 13 Sept., 1888, *Harry Cowell.*
3. *Mary F.*, b. 16 Feb., 1867.

48.

JONATHAN LANE[6] (Jonathan[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1788–1860, b. Bedford, Mass., 27 Jan., 1788, m. 27 July, 1815, by Rev. Samuel Stearns, RUHAMAH PAGE[5] (Nathaniel[4] and Sarah Brown, John[3] and Rebecca Wheeler, Nathaniel[2] and Susannah Lane, Nathaniel[1] and Joanna), who was b. in Bedford, 1 May, 1788, twin with brother Thaddeus. Mr. Lane settled as a farmer and cooper on the homestead in Bedford, removed to Boston in 1824, as a merchant at Fort Hill, returned to the David Reed farm in Bedford, 1847, where he died, Nov. 12, 1860, æ. 72 years. He was closely identified with Congregational interests. "Simple, earnest, charitable, a genial friend, a liberal citizen, an humble Christian."

Mrs. Ruhamah Page Lane, at the time of her marriage, was held in high esteem as a school teacher. At Bedford's sesqui-centennial in 1879, then in her 92d year, with intellect unimpaired, she received marked attention from her townspeople and old-time

pupils. She survived her beloved husband twenty-two years. By her strong, attractive and original character, she became a conspicuous and honored representative of the two families. She died 19 June, 1882, aged 94 ys., 1 mo., 18 ds.

Seven children:

I. RUHAMAH[7], b. 6 May, 1816, d. 10 Apr., 1817.

II. JONATHAN ABBOT[7], b. 23 Oct., 1818, d. 24 Aug., 1820.

III. SAMUEL WRIGHT[7], b. 2 Aug., 1820, early removed with his parents to Boston, where he entered business with his father, under the style of Jonathan Lane and Son. He d. unm., 25 Mar., 1856, æ. 35 years. "A dutiful son, an affectionate brother, a faithful, generous friend. He was known for uprightness, sincerity and truth; for kindness to the poor, sympathy with the unfortunate and oppressed, and for a consistent Christian life,—the active service of which he has exchanged for the 'Rest of the people of God.'"

77. IV. JONATHAN ABBOT[7], b. 15 May, 1822, m. SARAH DELIA CLARKE.

78. V. RUHAMAH AUGUSTA[7], b. 29 July, 1824, m. Rev. ELIHU LOOMIS.

VI. HENRY EDWARDS[7], b. 14 Jan., 1827, d. 19 Jan., 1831.

VII. SARAH ANN[7], b. 29 June, 1829, d. 11 Aug., 1831.

49.

JOSIAH ABBOT LANE[6] (Jonathan[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1791–1860, b. Bedford, Mass., 17 Aug., 1791, m. 17 May, 1818, PHEBE SPINNING of New York, who was b. 14 Sept., 1801, and d. 29 Oct., 1880. He d. 15 Jan., 1860.

Children born in New York city:

I. EMMELINE RUHAMAH[7], b. 7 May, 1819, m. first, 25 Apr., 1838, SAMUEL ADAMS, who d. 17 Sept., 1841, by the hand of John C. Colt; m. second, 21 Nov., 1850, WILLIAM HENRY VANDERHOOF, who d. 17 Oct., 1871. She d. 17 Oct., 1889. No children.

Rachamah Lane

THE JONATHAN LANE, LATER ELIHU G. LOOMIS HOUSE, BEDFORD, MASS.
BUILT ABOUT 1790. VIGNETTE OF MRS. JONATHAN LANE
(These buildings were destroyed by fire July 30, 1901.)

79. II. STEPHEN ABBOT[7], b. 24 Feb., 1821, m. MARY L. BANCROFT.

80. III. JOHN SAMUEL[7], b. 24 May, 1823, m. CAROLINE WATERBURY.

IV. WILLIAM EDWARD[7], b. 20 Aug., 1829, d. 6 Feb., 1830.

V. WILLIAM BAXTER[7], b. 1 Dec., 1831, m. 19 Dec., 1854, KATHERINE A. CARR. Children:

1. *Emma*[8], m. —— *Bynner*.
2. *William*[8]. 3. *Harry*[8]. 4. *Benjamin*[8].

81. VI. CHARLES GARDNER[7], b. 29 Dec., 1835, m. MARIA B. FRAZIER.

VII. SAMUEL ADAMS[7], b. 5 Mar., 1842, d. 9 June, 1863, unm., æ. 21 years.

50.

GEORGE LANE[6] (Jonathan[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1802–1882, b. Bedford, Mass., 8 May, 1802, settled in Charlestown, Mass., m. first, 15 Nov., 1826, LUCY MARIA DUNN, she b. 8 Aug., 1804, and d. 22 Feb., 1830.

He m. second, 22 Nov., 1831, SARAH HAWES BERRY of Belfast, Me.; she b. 25 Feb., 1810, at Barnstable, Mass., and d. 17 Nov., 1897. George Lane d. 11 Feb., 1882.

Children:

I FRANCES MARIA[7], b. 26 Aug., 1827, d. 2 June, 1885.

II. LUCY MIRANDA[7], b. 26 Jan., 1829, d. Oct., 1830.

By second marriage:

82. III. CHARLES DEWITT[7], b. Charlestown, Mass., 2 Feb., 1833, m. JOSEPHINE BELL BAKER.

IV. ELIZABETH NICKERSON[7], b. 2 Nov., 1835, m. 30 Oct., 1860, CHARLES A. CHURCH.

V. ELLEN WATSON[7], b. 25 Feb., 1839.

VI. RICHARD BYRON CLARKE[7], b. 10 Feb., 1843, d. at Panama, Cal., Sept. 30, 1881. Served in civil war of 1861, was in Gen.

Banks' division on Red river, and had honorable mention for bravery.

VII. FRANK ERNEST[7], b. 12 Aug., 1850, d. 25 Nov., 1854.

51.

CHARLES LANE[6] (Jonathan[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1804–1872, b. Bedford, Mass., 14 Aug., 1804, resided in Boston and Dorchester, Mass. He made a speech at the dedication of Bedford town hall, in 1856, and was the donor of the town hall clock. He m. first, 22 Nov., 1827, SARAH BANCROFT WHEELER, who d. 5 Apr., 1844; m. second, 10 Apr., 1845, ELIZABETH CARLTON of Dorchester. He d. 14 Oct., 1872, by an assassin's bullet at his own threshold in Dorchester.

Children:

I. CHARLES BANCROFT[7], b. Boston, 4 Aug., 1828, d. Dorchester, 19 May, 1849.

II. SARAH ELIZABETH DEXTER[7], b. 8 Aug., 1834, m. 21 July, 1864, LESTER GOODWIN of Hartford, Ct.; residence Newton, Mass. One son:

1. *Bancroft Lane*, b. Dorchester, 25 May, 1865, graduated Harv. Col., 1887.

III. HARRIET FELICIA[7], b. 9 July, 1841, m. 23 Oct., 1862, JAMES W. BARTLETT, D.D.S.; res. Roxbury and Newton. Children:

1. *Charles Lane*, b. Roxbury, 18 Aug., 1863, d. Newton, 1 Dec., 1887.
2. *Sidney Roland*, b. 20 Nov., 1864, graduated Institute Technology, Boston, 1887, and from Harvard Dental College, 1890; m. 25 Oct., 1894, *Mabel Landell*, she b. Philadelphia, Pa., 9 Jan., 1869. Children born in Colorado Springs, Col.:

1) Eleanor, } b. 14 Jan., 1897.
2) Landell, }

52.

JOHN SAMUEL LANE[6] (Jonathan[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1808–1856, b. Bedford, Mass., 15 Jan., 1808, m. 12 May, 1834,

SALLY ANN VERMILYEA; she b. 11 Feb., 1816, and d. 24 Aug., 1878. He d. 21 July, 1856.

Children:

I. HANNAH[7], b. 25 Apr., 1835, m. first, 12 Dec., 1853, THEODORE VAN RIPER, who was b. 1 Jan., 1830, and d. 18 Aug., 1869; m. second, 22 Feb., 1875, JAMES G. BEACH, who was b. 1842, and d. 10 Oct., 1898. She d. 11 June, 1895. Child:

1. *Arline Letitia* (Van Riper), b. 27 Dec., 1855, m. 18 May, 1896, *Harrald T. Quartrup*, who was b. 4 Feb., 1853.

II. MARY AMELIA[7], b. 12 Jan., 1837, d. 15 Mar., 1838.

III. GEORGE EDWARD[7], b. 20 Jan., 1839, m. 1872, EMMA MIDDLETON, and d. 5 Mar., 1898. No children.

IV. ELIZA ANN[7], b. 21 Jan., 1842, m. 13 Oct., 1869, FRANK CHASE SMITH; he b. 19 Jan., 1843, residence 1899, 135 Keef street, Brooklyn, N. Y. Child:

1. *George Edward*, b. 29 Aug., 1874, employed in a piano warehouse.

83. V. EBENEZER HAYWARD[7], b. 6 Nov., 1848, m. CATHERINE MURRAY.

VI. OLIVER ABBOTT[7], b. 26 Nov., 1850, clerk Colonial club, unm.

VII. JOHN ABRAHAM[7], b. July, 1852, d. June, 1856.

53.

JOHN LANE[6] (Gershom F.[5], John[4,3,2], Job[1]), 1776——, was born in Weathersfield, Vt., 14 or 17 Feb., 1776, moved with his parents to Penn., m. NANCY GEACH; lived in Westmoreland Co., Penn., and settled in Ohio about 1812.

Children:

I. MARY[7], m. JOSEPH SPRINGER.

II. JEMIMA[7], m. ARCHIBALD MCCOLLUM, and had son *James*, res. Creston, Iowa.

III. RHODA[7], m. SIMEON NOTT (?) and WILLIAM BENJAMIN.

IV. HANNAH[7], m. GEORGE HIGHBARGAIN, and had son, *H. Highbargain*, b. 1817, res. Richwood, Ohio.

V. LUCINDA[7], d. at the age of 14 years.

84. VI. HIRAM H.[7], b. 24 Oct., 1802, m. DRUSILLA E. DAVIS.

VII. SARAH[7], m. ALFRED ELLIS.

VIII. MARIA[7], m. WILLIAM HOWLAND.

IX. JACOB[7], m. ELIZABETH STONEMAN.

X. WILLIAM[7], d. æ. about 20 years.

85. XI. RICHARD[7], b. 14 Feb., 1812, m. ELIZABETH HORN.

54.

GEORGE WASHINGTON LANE[6] (Gershom F.[5], John[4.3.2], Job[1]), was born in Weathersfield, Vt., 26 Sept., 1786, m. first, SALLY OSTERHOUT, who died in 1818; m. second, OLIVE NEWTON of Brattleborough, Vt., and removed to Montrose, Susquehanna Co., Pa. He had a remarkable memory and was a great lover of history.

Ten children:

I. STILLMAN[7], b. 1809, d. at the age of 21 years.

II. OLIVE[7], b. 1815, a very successful teacher, m. 1849, EZEKIEL GAGE. Had:

1. *Helen*, b. 1855, m. 1876, *Eli Meeker* of Binghampton, N. Y., and had:

1) Roscoe E., b. 28 July, 1881.

By second marriage:

III. MALVINA CAROLINE[7], d. in infancy.

86. IV. MARY EVELINE[7], b. 25 Nov., 1823, m. DANIEL LLOYD NORTH.

V. NEWTON[7], b. 1 Oct., 1825, was a school teacher, enlisted 1861, in First Pa. cavalry, and was captured by the Confederates 1863, deputy sheriff 1866-'69, railroad contractor, farmer in Illinois; died in Thomas Co., Kansas, greatly respected, unm., 19 Feb., 1888.

VI. S. LAURETTA[7], b. 21 May, 1827, m. Apr., 1850, CALEB ALEXANDER of Boston, Mass. Their children:

1. *Ada*, b. 24 Dec., 1851, m. 28 Oct., 1886, *Robert McDowell*, and had two daughters.
2. *Ellen Olive*, b. 13 Sept., 1854, m. 24 Dec., 1872, *Watson T. Hunter*, and had:

1) Augusta, b. 14 Dec., 1873. 2) Paul, b. 11 Mar., 1876.

3. *Lillian*, b. 27 Aug., 1857, m. about 1881, *John C. Fenton*. No children.

VII. OTIS[7], b. 6 Mar., 1829, d. April, 1837.

VIII. JENNIE H.[7], b. 26 Dec., 1832, taught school from the age of 15 to 34 years, m. 19 Dec., 1867, THOMAS RODGERS from England, and lived in Silver Lake, Pa. He d. 10 Mar., 1892; she d. of heart failure 15 Oct., 1893. Their children:

1. *Newton*, b. 19 Feb., 1869.
2. *Daisy*, b. 9 Jan., 1871.
3. *Ruth*, b. 7 Nov., 1872, d. 10 Mar., 1873.

87. IX. SAMUEL FREEMAN[7], b. 31 Aug., 1834, m. KATE WELLS.

X. EMMA[7], b. 19 Dec., 1837, graduated at Hudson River Institute, now Claverack College, 1861, taught at Charlestown, Md., Aug., 1861, to 1866, preceptress at Claverack, Sept., 1866, to summer of 1869. She m. 20 Oct., 1869, Rev. D. C. OLMSTEAD, who received the degree of A. M. in 1885, and d. 12 Oct., 1888. No children. Mrs. Olmstead was connected with the Greenwich Academy 1890, onward. Her report as secretary of the Wyoming Methodist Episcopal Conference to the Philadelphia Branch of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, 1892, closed with the verses of *The Tapestry Weavers*.

"Let us take to our hearts a lesson—no lesson can braver be—
From the ways of the tapestry weavers on the other side of the sea."
—*Anson G. Chester.*

55.

THOMAS LANE[6] (Gershom F.[5], John[4,3,2], Job[1]), b. Weathersfield, Vt., 13 Nov., 1792, lived in Montrose, Pa., a farmer and devout member of the Methodist church, noted for his Biblical knowledge, and d. 7 Jan., 1853. He m. 30 Jan., 1817, SARAH HARKINS; she b. 1 July, 1794, and d. 10 Dec., 1880.

Their children were:

I. ROSETTA[7], b. 4 Aug., 1820, m. JOSEPH BRAMHALL, who was b. 5 Sept., 1799, and lived in Springville, Penn. Their children were:

1. *Rev. Melvin Edmund*, b. 24 Dec., 1842, a Methodist preacher, m. 24 Dec., 1874, *Polly Catherine Holmes*, who was b. 1 Oct., 1841. No children.
2. *Charles Olin*, b. 16 Aug., 1848, finished his education at Yale College.

II. ELMINA[7], b. 20 May, 1822, d. 12 Sept., 1824.

III. HANNAH[7], b. 23 May, 1824, m. 18 Apr., 1849, JACKSON LEWIS, lived in Springville, Pa. Their daughter:

1. Minnie, m. *Calvin D. Pipher*, and had:

1) Lewis. 2) Julia C. 3) Maynard. 4) Lottie May. 5) Jessie Pearl. 6) Lemuel. 7) Rosetta.

IV. LYDIA ANN[7], b. 22 July, 1827, d. 7 July, 1829.

88. V. CLEMENTINE[7], b. 30 July, 1829, m. AARON BUNNELL.

VI. HORACE AGARD[7], b. 23 Nov., 1831, d. young.

89. VII. ANNE MARIA[7], b. 22 Jan., 1833, m. LUCIUS EUARD WILLIAMS.

90. VIII. CHARLOTTE[7], b. 15 Mar., 1837, m. LEMUEL BLAKESLEE.

IX. GERSHOM FLAGG[7], d. young.

56.

OLIVER WELLINGTON LANE[6] (Solomon[5], James[4,3], John[2], Job[1]), 1794–1877, b. Bedford, Mass., 16 June, 1794, was moderator and selectman of Bedford. Fifteen days after the outrage upon Fort Sumter, Apr. 12, 1861, he contributed the most towering pine from the forest of the Lanes of Indian and Revolutionary fame, which was erected as a Liberty Pole on the Common or Training Field, Apr. 27, 1861, around which the people rallied and from which the flag of the Union was unfurled and waved daily during the years of the bloody conflict.

Mr. Lane m. first, by Rev. Samuel Stearns, 23 July, 1818, CATHERINE WALTON of Bedford, who d. 30 July, 1841; m. second,

by Rev. G. W. Woodward, 26 Feb., 1843, MRS. HARRIET BLINN, widow of Richard D. Blinn, sea captain of Boston, and dau. of Jacob and Sarah (Trask) Gragg of Groton, Mass., who d. 6 June, 1869, æ. 71 years. He d. 15 Aug., 1877, æ. 83 yrs., 2 ms.

Children:

I. SARAH ELIZABETH[7], b. 27 Nov., 1818, m. 20 Sept., 1838, HENRY GOODWIN of Bedford. She wrought in canvas the Lane coat of arms handed down through her grandfather, Solomon Lane. Their children were:

1. *Henry Oliver*, b. 25 June, 1839, m. 5 July, 1860, *Hannah Paine*.
2. *Frank W.*, b. 4 July, 1841, m. 26 Dec., 1868, *Sarah E. Roberts*.
3. *Charles W.*, b. 4 Sept., 1843.
4. *Joseph A.*, b. 31 Oct., 1845, m. 1876, *Emma F. Ashby*.
5. *George E.*, b. 13 Apr., 1847, m. first, in Aug., 1874, *Mary Richardson*, second, 12 Feb., 1891, *Mrs. Melvina M. Shedd*.
6. *Katherine E.*, b. 28 May, 1857.

II. MARY WHITING[7], b. 31 Mar., 1820, m. 26 Sept., 1841, GEORGE W. BRIGGS, and d. 4 Apr., 1866.

91. III. WILLIAM AUGUSTUS[7], b. 12 Mar., 1822, m. MARY P. WRIGHT, JULIA M. HOUGHTON and SARAH M. LANE.

IV. CATHERINE AMELIA[7], b. 4 Dec., 1823, m. 5 Oct., 1845, JOSEPH H. GOODWIN, son of Uriah and Nancy (Hood) Goodwin. Their children were:

1. *Ann Catherine*, b. 1846, d. 1846.
2. *Mary Adaline*, b. 21 Jan., 1851, m. *Charles Lowe*.
3. *Joseph Franklin*, d. young.
4. *Abbie Josephine*, b. 20 Jan., 1855, m. *Daniel E. Haynes*.
5. *Harry Ellsworth*, b. 27 June, 1866, d. 2 Feb., 1876.

V. ABIGAIL REBECCA[7], b. 3 June, 1826, d. 29 June, 1854, m. 16 Oct., 1847, SAMUEL S. WILSON; he b. 1821, son of John B. and Mary Wilson. He m. second, Laura Ann Lane, VIII.

92. VI. OLIVER JOSIAH[7], b. 29 Jan., 1828, m. MARY ANN BILLINGS.

VII. LAURA ANN[7], b. 21 July, 1830, d. 26 Apr., 1834, æ. 3 ys., 9 ms.

VIII. LAURA ANN[7], b. 1 May, 1834, m. 29 Nov., 1855, SAMUEL S. WILSON, and d. 15 June, 1863. See V.

93. IX. SAMUEL LEAVITT[7], b. 24 Feb., 1838, m. 23 May, 1861, FRANCES E. PINKHAM.

X. HENRY FRANCIS[7], b. 4 Sept., 1839, d. 1 May, 1841, æ. 1 yr., 8 ms.

57.

DAVID LANE, JR.[6] (David[5], James[4,3], John[2], Job[1]), 1796–1853, b. Bedford, Mass., 7 Sept., 1796, m. 26 Jan., 1826, BETSEY B. SIMONDS, dau. of Joseph and Abigail of Wilton, N. H., who d. 15 Dec., 1868, æ. 69 yrs., 1 mo., 25 ds. He settled on a part of the homestead in Bedford, and d. 19 Jan., 1853, æ. 56 years.

Children:

I. MARY ANN[7], b. 2 Aug., 1826, m. WILLIAM KELSEA, and d. 29 July, 1875.

94. II. JOB BLANCHARD[7], b. 18 Oct., 1828, m. CAROLINE P. RUSSELL.

III. CAROLINE E.[7], twin, b. 10 Oct., 1833, m. 30 Nov., 1853, FAIRFIELD R. DAVIS; he was son of Zenas, b. Nashua, N. H., 1830, settled in Bedford, 1864; was a town officer and d. 30 June, 1867. Their children:

1. *Ada C.*, b. 5 Feb., 1858, m. *Rufus E. Bellows*, of Dorchester, Mass.
2. *Walter*, b. 1861, d. 1863,
3. *George W.*, b. 6 Dec., 1866, m. *Emily L. Bellows* of Dorchester, Mass.

IV. MARIA S.[7], twin, b. 10 Oct., 1833, m. 27 May, 1854, GEORGE ISAACS, and d. 31 Mar., 1872. He was son of John and Mary Isaacs, b. 1833, and d. 30 Nov., 1872, æ. 38 years.

58.

ANTHONY LANE[6] (Jonas[5], Samuel[4], James[3], John[2], Job[1],), 1793–1869, b. Lancaster, Mass., 28 Sept., 1793, a cabinet maker and farmer in Lancaster; m. first, by Rev. Cyrus Mann., 22 Oct.,

ANTHONY LANE.

1822, MARY MILES WHITE; she b. 1 June, 1796, and d. of consumption, 16 June, 1865, æ. 69 yrs., 16 ds., dau. of Dea. James and Mary (Miles) White of Westminster, Mass. Her will, signed Oct. 8, 1864, proved July 5, 1865, named her husband, Anthony Lane, executor. He m. second, by Rev. Benjamin B. Flagg in Cambridge, Mass., 6 Dec., 1866, ABIGAIL REBECCA CARTER[7] (Solomon[6], Ephraim[5,4], Samuel[3], Rev. Samuel[2], Rev. Thomas[1], of Woburn, Mass.); she b. 1 June, 1796, dau. of Solomon Carter, deputy sheriff, and his wife, Elizabeth White, of Lancaster. His name appears in the transfer of real estate, Aug. 20, 1818, Feb. 15, 1819, Jan. 25, 1833. Anthony Lane was a member of the general committee of ten persons to commemorate the two-hundreth anniversary of the town of Lancaster, incorporated May 28, 1653. He was also vice-president on the day of the celebration, June 15, 1853. He d. of cancer, 20 Dec., 1869, æ. 76 yrs., 3 ms., 8ds.

His will signed Sept. 5, 1867, left bequests to wife, Abby R. Lane, $13,000, to my late brother's children, Eliza Richardson, J. H. Lane, and Charlotte T. Lane, $2,000 each, to Henry Carey, $1,000, to Mary Ann Townsend, $600, to each of J. H. Lane's children, $500, except Anthony, to him $1,000 for his name, to Moses W. Richardson, $500, to Charlotte T. Lane, $500 more if she remain single, to the Sewing Circle in Lancaster, in which my wife is a member, $500, to the selectmen of Lancaster to take care of my lot in the North village cemetery, $200, to Sarah Everett, Anthony Lane Sawyer, Anthony Lane Harrington and Phebe White, each $100. J. H. Lane and Moses W. Richardson, executors. Abigail R. Lane, widow of Anthony Lane, waived her allowance in the will of her husband, Jan. 6, 1870.—*Wor. Co. Wills, 399: 268.*

59.

JONAS HENRY LANE, M. D.[6] (Jonas[5], Samuel[4], James[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1800–1861, was b. at Lancaster, Mass., midnight, 27, 28 Jan., 1800, was bap. under the name of Henry, but received the addition of Jonas by act of legislature, June 18, 1825.

When two years old he had white swelling at right hip joint, the head of the thigh bone passed from its socket and a new socket

was formed shortening the limb about two inches; was educated in the public schools until fourteen, then at the academies in Groton, 1814, Leicester and Lancaster; graduated at Harvard University, 1821; studied medicine at Westminster, at McLean Asylum, with Rufus Wyman, M. D., with John P. Spooner, M. D., and in Mass. General Hospital; received the degree M. D. from Harvard, 1826, commenced the practice of medicine in Boston, at No. 10 Hanover Street, 1826, No. 25 School Street, 1829, 170 Washington Street, 1830 to 1848, then at No. 4 Montgomery Place. He was the first physician in Boston and probably in New England, Sept. 28, 1846, to treat diseases of the larynx, trachea and bronchia by the local application of the solution of nitrate of silver, which he learned of Dr. Horace Green of the City of New York.

He was thrown from his chaise upon the sidewalk in Charles Street, July 6, 1847, his health injured and little finger of left hand crushed and amputated and the hand never recovered its strength and usefulness. He responded by letter to the invitation to be present at the celebration of the two-hundreth anniversary of the incorporation of Lancaster, Mass., June 15, 1853. In the opening of 1861, with the War of the Rebellion, he became very anxious about his country's welfare, and, at the defeat of the Union forces at the first battle of Bull Run, received the attack which resulted in his death by paralysis, 5 Sept., 1861, æ. 61 yrs, 7 ms., 8ds.

Dr. Lane attended the ministry of Rev. Lyman Beecher, D. D., 1828, and united with the Hanover Street church in March, 1829. He continued his connection with the same society in its removal to Salem Street and Bowdoin Street under the pastoral care of Rev. Messrs. Lyman Beecher and Hubbard Winslow. The following terse statement of his Christian hope was found among his papers:

"I look to Jesus, the Author and Finisher of my faith, as my Redeemer and my Saviour, and to the Holy Spirit as my Sanctifier and Guide, through whom I have acceptance with God the Father. I look away from myself, a sinful worm of the dust, to Him through the shedding of whose blood: through whose merits and mediation I have the forgiveness of my sins. I believe in Him, and through this faith I have justification before God: and

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walking in the ways of obedience before Him, I commit all my interests for time and for eternity into His hands, as my Faithful Keeper until I come to my Father in Heaven."

Funeral services were held at his residence, No. 4 Montgomery Place, Boston, conducted by Rev. Edward N. Kirk, D. D., and at the residence of his brother, Anthony Lane, Esq., of Lancaster. His remains were interred in the new cemetery, near the North village, Lancaster. All sought to honor him as the model husband, father, physician, friend and Christian. Many there were who called him blessed. May there be many of his descendants who shall emulate his virtues.

Dr. Lane commenced a very complete system of family registration in Oct., 1844, which was continued by his children. These records have been freely used in this work.

He m. 5 Oct., 1830, by Rev. Walter King, FRANCES ANN BROWN[3]; she b. 16 Jan., 1807, dau. of James Fitch Brown[2] (James[1]) of Norwich, Conn., and his wife, Eliza Rogers Woodbridge[3] (Samuel[2], Dr. Dudley[1]). Born of parents of no common education and ability, reared in a family of Christian love and example, her life became blended with that of her husband, the good physician, worthy counsellor and beloved head of their united household. What happy homes were those into whose very life her own sweet life was so joyously blended! Model Christian wife and mother, beloved of husband and revered by children, her life beautifully adorned the gospel of Christ. She entered into rest Nov. 16, 1846. Her remains were temporarily interred at Mount Auburn and subsequently removed to the family lot in the cemetery at North Lancaster.

"Descendants, whoever you may be, you have just cause to be proud of such ancestors as this parentage and those preceding. Seek to pattern from their characters and example, and, like them, die ripe in the faith of these fathers and mothers in Israel who have so gloriously preceded you."

Children:

I. DAUGHTER[6], stillborn, 22 Dec., 1831, interred Infants Tomb, Granary Burial Ground, Boston.

95. II. ELIZA WAIT[7], b. 27 Apr., 1833, m. MOSES WRIGHT RICHARDSON.

96. III. JONAS HENRY, JR., b. 4 Jan., 1837, m. ISABELLA ALMIRA HOOPER.

IV. CHARLOTTE TAYLOR[7], b. 20 Mar., 1843, christened by Rev. Wm. M. Rogers, 2 July, 1843, bearing the name of Charlotte Taylor of Newark, N. J. She passed through the perils of vaccination the Saturday following her birth on Monday, measles, 1848, scarlet fever, 1849, mumps both sides, 1851, revaccination, 1854. "Can talk quite well," Mar. 2, 1845, commenced primary school course under Miss Green in Harvard Place, 1847, grammar course in Bowdoin school on Myrtle street, 1852, Chapman Hall school, under Amos Baker and commenced French, Latin, etc., 1857, on skates and began music lessons, 1858, French Institute under Mrs. Dunscomb, late Mlle. Grosschoff, 1859. She was confirmed at St. Paul's church, Rev. Wm. R. Nicholson, Rector, Manton Eastburn, Bishop, Apr. 21, 1861.

Miss Lane journeyed and studied in Great Britain and on the continent of Europe, 1867, 1868; her second trip to England, France, Switzerland and Germany, 1873; her third trip to Switzerland, 1890. She spends her summers in Lancaster, Mass., and her winters in New York city. The committee of the Evangelical society in Lancaster, June, 1882, thankfully acknowledged the gift of a church organ from Charlotte T. Lane of Lancaster, Jonas Henry Lane of New York city, and Messrs. Richardson of Boston. The society has several times been the recipient of her bounty.

60.

GEORGE LANE[6] (Ephraim[5], Samuel[4], James[3], John[2], Job[1]), b. Walpole, N. H., 25 Nov., 1803, m. first, 4 Apr., 1831, SARAH, dau. of Hugh DUNSHEE of Walpole, who d. 22 Sept., 1841, æ. 36 years; m. second, 18 Sept., (?) 1842, ELIZABETH BAILEY. He d. June, 1878, æ. 74 years.

Children:

I. MARTHA ELLEN[7], b. 22 Dec., 1831.

JONAS HENRY LANE.

II. HENRY[7], b. 6 Sept., 1833.

III. LEWIS[7], b. 23 Oct., 1835.

IV. MARY JANE[7], b. 2 Aug., 1840.

By second marriage:

V. SARAH ELIZABETH[7], b. 12 Aug., 1844.

VI. JULIA REBECCA[7], b. 22 Feb., 1847.

VII. ABBIE ALMIRA[7], b. 30 Oct., 1851.

VIII. FLORA ISABELLA[7], b. 15 Nov., 1855.

IX. GEORGE LESLIE[7], b. 29 July, 1859.

61.

WASHINGTON JEFFERSON LANE[6] (Ebenezer[5], Samuel[4], James[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1807–1864, b. in West Cambridge, now Arlington, Mass., 16 Feb., 1807, m. in Boston by Rev. Paul Dean, 30 Sept., 1830, CYNTHIA CLARK, who was b. in Boston, 1 Sept., 1810, dau. of Elijah and Cynthia (Smith) Clark, and d. 20 July, 1864. Mr. Lane d. 5 Aug., 1864, "an excellent, beloved man whom his children were proud to call father."

Children born in West Cambridge:

I. SUSAN CLARK[7], b. 27 July, 1833, m. 30 Nov., 1853, CHARLES EDWIN GOODWIN; he b. Belfast, Me., 1 Jan., 1830, res. West Cambridge, Mass., and Minneapolis, Minn. Their children b. in West Cambridge:

1. *Annie*, b. 6 Oct., 1854, m. 9 July, 1884, *Allin Rufus Reed*, b. Lowell, Mass., 27 Oct., 1852, and had:

1) Edward Goodwin, b. Boston, 2 Sept., 1885. 2) Martha, b. Boston, 27 May, 1891.

2. *Charles Edward*, b. 30 Nov., 1856, d. New York City, 3 Aug., 1891.
3. *Herbert Lane*, b. 30 June, 1863.
4. *Arthur Haskell*, b. 24 Sept., 1865, m. in Somerville, Mass., 22 July, 1891, *Ada Dean Atwood*, who was b. Raynham, Mass., 5 Dec., 1869.
5. *William Haskell*, b. 14 July, 1871.

II. GEORGE WASHINGTON[7], b. 11 Mar., 1835, m. at West Cambridge, 20 June, 1866, SARAH TUTTLE of Lexington, Mass., and

lived on the old homestead of his grandfather, Ebenezer Lane in Arlington. No children.

III. CYNTHIA PICKERING[7], b. 4 Nov., 1836; unm.

IV. EBENEZER[7], b. 7 Aug., 1838, d. Hamburg, Germany, 27 Feb., 1873.

97. V. MARY WELLINGTON[7], b. 19 Dec., 1839, m. EDWARD ERI POOR.

VI. JAMES ALFRED[7], b. and d. same day.

62.

DAVID WOODWARD LANE[6] (Samuel[5.4], James[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1801-1888, b. Bedford, Mass., 28 Oct., 1801, resided in North Brookfield, Mass., was styled captain, a prominent man and noted teacher; administered on his father's estate Nov. 18, 1823, paid Jonas Lane $1,200, April 1, 1827, for a "farm lately owned by Capt. Samuel Lane," of North Brookfield.—*Wor. Co. Deeds, 256: 99.*

Capt. Lane m. 24 Jan., 1823, ELIZA SWAN WITT; she b. North Brookfield, August, 1801, descendant of John Witt, of Lynn, Mass., 1650, d. 1 Aug., 1868. He d. 26 June, 1888. Obituary notice in the *Congregationalist*, 1888.

Children born in North Brookfield:

I. EDWARD BANCROFT[7], b. 6 Aug., 1824, d. 10 Oct., 1825.

II. LUCIE ANN[7], b. 4 July, 1826, m. 12 Nov., 1856, WASHINGTON HARWOOD, of Adrian, Michigan.

98. III. SARAH ADELINE[7], b. 24 Aug., 1828, m. Rev. JOHN H. MELLISH.

IV. FREDERICK WARREN[7], b. 17 July, 1830, d. 20 Dec., 1853.

V. ABIGAIL SYLVANIA[7], b. 16 Nov., 1832, m. 4 Oct., 1859, GEORGE FRYE, of Foster, R. I., settled in Lebanon, Linn Co., Oregon.

Their children b. in Foster, R. I.:

1. *Richard Alfred*, b. 8 Dec., 1860, a printer in Jacksonville, Athens Co.,

Oregon, m. 14 July, 1888, *Ruth Alvina*, dau. of Lyman H. and Louisa A. *Brown*, of Coventry, R. I.; she d. in Albany, Ore., 29 Jan., 1891. Child:

1) Ruth Alvina, b. Albany, Ore., 21 Jan., 1891.

2. *Daughter*, b. and d. 1 Apr., 1862.

3. *Frederic Bancroft*, b. 12 June, 1863, a compositor in Lebanon, Ore., m. 16 July, 1888, *Sarah Maria*, dau. of Lyman H. and Louisa A. *Brown*. Children:

1) Susan Maria, b. 26 Aug., 1891. 2) Daughter, b. Albany, Ore., 6 Jan., 1893, d. 7 Jan., 1893. 3) Edith Louisa, b. Albany, 8 Jan., 1894.

4. *Mary Eliza*, b. 9 July, 1864, d. 14 Sept., 1864.

5. *George Herbert*, b. 2 Sept., 1865, m. April, 1888, *Nellie E. Robbins*, of Conn., who d. April, 1889. He d. 5 Oct., 1890.

6. *Earl Clinton*, b. 18 Mar., 1867, a missionary in Japan, m. first, Apr., 1893, *Annie*, adopted dau. of E. H. *Pierce*, of Rehoboth, Mass., who d. Jan., 1894; m. second, *Susie V. Gullett*, a missionary in Japan. Daughter:

1) Annie Pierce, b. Woodstock, Vt., 7 Jan., 1894.

7. *Emma Lavinia*, b. 3 Sept., 1868, d. 23 Sept., 1868.

8. *Son*, b. 11 Sept., 1869, d. 14 Oct., 1869.

9. *Abbie Jane*, b. 2 Nov., 1871. High school teacher.

10. *David Lane*, b. 11 Jan., 1873, a printer in Lebanon, Ore.

11. *Daughter*, b. 2 Sept., 1874, d. 24 Sept., 1874.

VI. NANCIE ANGELINE[7], b. 7 Mar., 1835, d. 5 Mar., 1859.

VII. LAVINIA FRANCES[7], b. 20 Mar., 1837, d. 23 Nov., 1864.

VIII. EMMELINE SELINDA[7], b. 12 Nov., 1839, wrote her name Emma S., and resided in North Brookfield.

IX. ADELIZA WOODWARD[7], b. 19 Dec., 1841, d. 12 Aug., 1843.

99. X. JOHN HENRY[7], b. 4 Sept., 1846, m. ABBIE A. KELLOGG.

63.

JOHN JONES LANE[6] (Samuel[5,4], James[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1818-1868, b. Bedford, Mass., m. 16 Nov., 1849, MARIETTA VAN MARTYR, of St. Louis, Mo., and d. in New York City, 18 May, 1868. She d. 28 Jan., 1873.

Children born in New York City:

I. JOHN B.[7], b. 11 June, 1851, d. 15 Aug., 1865.

II. MARIETTA[7], b. 2 Oct., 1851, d. 16 Nov., 1854.

III. CARLISLE JONES[7], b. 4 Sept., 1857. Post office address, 1899, Susanville, Grant Co., Oregon.

IV. FRANK M.[7], b. 21 Sept., 1859, d. 18 Aug., 1865.

V. ALBERT IRVING[7], b. 15 Nov., 1861, book-keeper, Newton, N. J., residence, 1899, Susanville, Grant Co., Oregon.

VI. LIZZIE J.[7], b. 15 Nov., 1863, d. 13 Aug., 1865.

VII. CHARLES RANDOLPH[7], b. 17 Nov., 1866, residence, 1899, Worcester, Mass., 534 Main street.

64.

DANIEL JOSIAH LANE[6] (Samuel[5.4], James[3], John[2], Job[1]), b. North Brookfield, Mass., 21 Feb., 1821, m. 30 Aug., 1841, by Rev. Thomas Snell, D. D., MARTHA E. BARSTOW, of North Brookfield. He resided in Beloit, Wis., 1899, the last survivor of his father's family.

Children:

I. LOUIS[7], b. Plymouth, Mass., 10 Apr., 1850, d. 20 Sept., 1850.

II. CLARA[7], b. 5 Sept., 1852, d. New York, 28 Jan., 1857.

III. ELLA STARR[7], b. 20 Dec., 1855, m. 10 Sept., 1878, A. M. GRIFFIN, of Chicago, Ill.

IV. IDA CLARA[7], b. 8 Dec., 1857, m. 4 Nov., 1879, L. E. YERRINGTON, of Galena, Ill.

V. HENRY HUDSON[7], b. New York, 31 Dec., 1860, commercial traveler, residence, Jefferson, Wis.

65.

ABNER BRIDGE LANE[7] (Eliab B.[6], John[5.4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1806-1884, was born in Bedford, Mass., 24 May, 1806, m. LYDIA BAILEY, resided in Bedford, and d. 13 July, 1884, æ. 78 ys., 7 ms., 1 dy. Mrs. Lane d. Oct., 1890.

Children:

100. I. GEORGE WINCHESTER[8], b. 25 July, 1829, m. SARAH M. GOODWIN.

II. HENRY WATSON[8], b. 16 Mar., 1831, d. 5 Dec., 1847, æ. 16 ys.

III. CHANDLER BRIDGE[8], b. 3 May, 1837.

66.

GEORGE LANE[7] (Roger[6], John[5,4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1827-1859, b. Bedford, Mass., 7 Aug., 1827, m. 4 July, 1858, LAURA ANN, b. 1833, dau. of Timothy and Betsey SMITH. He res. in Bedford and d. 18 Oct., 1859, æ. 32. She d. a widow, 2 Apr., 1889, æ. 56 ys., 8 ms., 16 ds.

Child:

I. WILLIS GEORGE[8], b. 14 May, 1859, dealer in coal and wood, m. 23 June, 1880, ALICE FRANCES COPELAND, b. 1858, dau. of Mark and Elizabeth (Chase) Copeland. They had:

1. *Maynor Wilfred*[9], b. 11 June, 1883.
2. *Percey Howland*[9], b. 5 Mar., 1887, pupil in the 2d Grammar school, 1896–7.

67.

ELIAS COOLIDGE LANE[7] (Elias[6], Francis[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1809-1878, was b. Ashburnham, Mass., 30 Dec., 1809, m. 20 Sept., 1835, MARY FARWELL; she b. 1805, dau. of Simeon and Hepzibah (Farwell) Farwell, of Fitchburgh, Mass. They settled in New Gloucester, Me. Elias C. Lane, chairmaker, and Mary F. Lane his wife sold to Solon H. Campbell, Jr., for $100.00, June 29, 1841, land with buildings in New Gloucester, "being the land which Daniel Wheelwright conveyed to me the said Lane, by deed Oct. 14, 1836." His name appears in the transfer of real estate, 1841 to 1851, Cumberland Co. Deeds.

He died at New Gloucester, 23 Aug., 1878, æ. 68 yrs.

Children:

I. MARY H.[8], b. 12 Sept., 1842.

II. DAVID[8], d. 12 May, 1846.

III. DAVID A.[8], d. 12 Nov., 1857, æ. 11 yrs.

—*New Gloucester Records.*

68.

ALLEN FRANCIS LANE[7] (Francis[6.5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1812-1886, b. 24 Mar., 1812; farmer and mechanic, Ashburnham, Mass., m. 28 Oct., 1840, LAURA P. TYLER, and d. 3 Dec., 1886. She d. his widow, Jan., 1899.

Nine children:

I. HENRY T.[8], b. 20 Sept., 1841, d. in the Civil War, 29 Oct., 1864.

II. INFANT[8], b. 8 May, d. 18 May, 1843.

III. LAURA A.[8], b. 25 Nov., 1844, m. WM. RICHARDSON, of Fitchburg, Mass. He d. 13 June, 1890.

IV. EMMA L.[8], b. 8 Apr., 1847, d. 1 Sept., 1847.

V. ELIZA M.[8], b. 25 Oct., 1849, m. 27 Nov., 1879, CHARLES T. HARDING, of Fitchburg, and had:

1. *Charles Francis*, b. 11 Sept., 1881.

VI. ALBERT[8], b. 22 Mar., 1853, m. 19 June, 1881, ADA E. LYNDES; res. Westminster, Mass.

VII. JAMES A.[8], b. 18 Nov., 1854, carpenter at Lane Village, Ashburnham, m. 17 Dec., 1881, CARRIE BELLE, b. 15 May, 1861, dau. of Robert White McINTIRE, and had:

1. *Edith Laura*[9], b. 6 Oct., 1891.
2. *Alice Beatrice*[9], b. 8 Feb., 1896.

VIII. FRANCIS W.[8], b. 24 Oct., 1858, grad. D. C. 1881, teacher at Yonkers, N. Y., and Washington, D. C.; mechanical draftsman, solicitor of U. S. and Foreign patents. Resides in Chicago, m. 26 Dec., 1881, GERTRUDE B. (DEWEY) KILBOURNE, of Litchfield, Conn. Children:

1. *Harold Francis*[9], b. 2 Nov., 1882.
2. *Arthur Angleton*[9], b. 20 Mar., 1884.
3. *Henry Richardson*[9], b. 1 Feb., 1886.
4. *Jessie Gertrude*[9], b. 2 May, 1887.
5. *Florence*[9], b. 11 July, 1890, d. 31 July, 1890.
6. *Lena Isabel*[9], b. 24 June, 1892.
7. *Laura Paulina*[9], b. 3 Oct., 1894, d. 31 July, 1895.

IX. JUSTIN E.[8], b. 8 Apr., 1861, d. 17 June, 1861.

69.

AMOS FOSTER LANE[7] (Francis[6,5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1815-1878, b. 30 June, 1815; res. Ashburnham, m. 26 June, 1839, MARTHA WARD, b. 26 Nov., 1819, d. 28 Jan., 1862, dau. of Nathaniel D. Ward. Mr. Lane d. 7 Mar., 1878.

Children:

I. WILLIAM W.[8], b. 7 Nov., 1841; res. Ashburnham, d. 3 Sept., 1896.

II. ALBERT FRANCIS[8], b. 24 Feb., 1844, d. 16 Sept., 1847.

III. SARAH N.[8], b. 8 Apr., 1846, d. 14 Sept., 1847.

IV. GEORGE F.[8], b. 15 Oct., 1848; res. Kingston, Mass., merchant and postmaster. He bought land in Plympton, Mass., 1878, in Pembroke, Mass., 1880, in Kingston, 1882. He sold land in Kingston, 1882; m. first, 28 Sept., 1878, ABBIE M., dau. of H. B. and Elizabeth MAGATHLIN, of Duxbury, Mass., who d. 23 Jan., 1880, m. second, 6 Mar., 1881, D. MARINDA KEEVY. Two children.

V. ELMIRA J.[8], b. 30 Dec., 1850, m. MR. WALKER; res. Minnesota.

VI. OMAN F.[8], b. 31 Mar., 1853; res. Ashburnham, d. 30 Dec., 1890.

VII. MARY E.[8], b. 25 May, 1856, m. 12 July, 1873, CHARLES A., b. 10 Oct., 1853, d. 17 Oct., 1883, son of Elijah HAVEN. Their children:

1. *George E.*, b. 20 Nov., 1877, m. 26 Apr., 1899, *Catherine Josephine Zeigler*.
2. *Edith Abbie*, b. 16 Aug., 1880.
3. *Clara Luretta*, b. 15 Aug., 1882.

VIII. WALTER A.[8], b. 19 July, 1858, m. 9 Sept., 1883, EVA T. WRIGHT; res. Kingston, Mass. Two children.

IX. SAMUEL A.[8], b. 26 July, 1860, d. 3 Sept., 1860.

X. JOHN F.[8], b. 22 Aug., 1861, d. 28 Apr., 1864.

70.

SAMUEL LANE[7] (Francis[6,5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1817-1856, was born in Ashburnham, Mass., 21 May, 1817. He was a carpenter by trade and resided in Ashburnham. He m. 30 Dec., 1840, NANCY H. EATON; she b. 18 Apr., 1822, dau. of Joel Eaton, of Fitchburg, Mass.

Mr. Lane d. 6 Nov., 1856. Israel A. Packard was administrator on his estate, who returned an inventory of $3,728.19, Jan. 6, 1857. —*Wor. Co. Wills, 100: 406.*

Five children:

I. JOEL E.[8], b. 18 Apr., 1843, d. 1 Jan., 1859.

II. MARY SUSAN[8], b. 20 Jan., 1845, d. 5 Dec., 1845.

III. SAMUEL EDWARD[8], b. 18 Oct., 1846, a farmer, resident in Hubbardston, Mass., m. 3 June, 1866, EDNA L. PIERCE, of Livermore Falls, Me. Their children:

1. *Sarah Maude Lillian*[9], b. 22 May, 1872, m. 25 Dec., 1894, *Leonard O. Robinson*, of Westminster, Mass., and has:

1) Olin Edward, b. 14 Oct., 1895.

2. *Edwin Dexter*[9], b. 6 Mar., 1876, Methodist pastor in Groveland, Mass.
3. *Myrtis E.*[9], b. 23 Jan., 1878, d. 21 Aug., 1878.

101. IV. FREDERICK DOUGLASS[8], b. 4 July, 1849, m. CORA JEANETTE GILBERT.

V. MARY SUZETTA[8], b. 20 Oct., 1850, d. 23 Dec., 1858.

71.

MILTON LANE[7] (Francis[6,5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1819-1876, b. 27 Feb., 1819; res. Ashburnham, m. first, 5 Nov., 1851, MARY PARKHURST, of Fitchburg, b. 1 April, 1831, d. 25 Oct., 1863; m. second, Jan., 1867, JANE (Pierce) FLAGG, and d. 8 June, 1876.

Six children:

I. ELLA M.[8], b. 10 Sept., 1855; res. Rindge, N. H.

II. HATTIE P.[8], b. 16 Dec., 1857, m. 16 May, 1888, JOHN H. MAUDE, and resides in Worcester, Mass.

III. GENERY M.[8], b. 19 Oct., 1860; res. Ashburnham, m. 14 May, 1896, MABEL, dau. of George HOWARD.

IV. DELIA M.[8], b. 25 Mar., 1863, m. 25 Sept., 1887, VERNON S. FAY; resides in Fitchburg, Mass., and had:

1. *Leon B.*, b. 20 Sept., 1891.
2. *Elsie L.*, b. 21 Apr., 1894.
3. *Royal V.*, b. 11 June, 1896.

By second marriage:

V. GERTRUDE E.[8], b. 4 Nov., 1867.

VI. HERBERT L.[8], b. 20 Nov., 1869.

72.

HOSEA FOSTER LANE[7] (Francis[6.5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), was born in Ashburnham, Mass., 7 Feb., 1831, an efficient and eminent teacher. Mr. Lane began his long career as principal of the High school, Templeton, Mass., at its establishment in the autumn of 1856, a position he held for two score years. He has been the librarian of the Boynton Public Library at Templeton, from its first opening in Sept., 1873. He wrote the history of Templeton for the press of J. W. Lewis & Co., Philadelphia, 1889.

Principal Lane m. 16 Aug., 1858, EUNICE ELIZABETH FAIRBANKS; she b. 14 Feb., 1839, dau. of Emory and Eunice (Hayward) Fairbanks.

Children born in Templeton:

I. CHARLES H.[8], b. 14 Sept., 1859, collated records for the White Genealogy.

II. ARTHUR FRANCIS[8], b. 17 July, 1861, d. 17 Oct., 1862.

73.

DANIEL WALKER LANE[7] (Benj.[6.5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1824-1892, b. Ashburnham, Mass., 4 Dec., 1824, m. first, 9 Feb., 1852, JERUSHA E. BEMIS, who d. 3 Sept., 1872; m.

second, 23 Apr., 1874, ELEANOR J. LANE[7] (Francis[6.5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]). He d. 19 Mar., 1892.

Three children:

I. LORETTA[8], b. 14 Dec., 1852, d. 27 Jan., 1853.

II. CYRUS W.[8], b. 23 Feb., 1854, variety wood turner and manufacturer of enameled wood goods, Townsend Harbor, Mass.

III. MINERVA L.[8], b. 15 Mar., 1857.

74.

MARTIN B. LANE[7] (Benj.[6.5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), b. Ashburnham, Mass., 4 Sept., 1828, m. 1 Nov., 1865, CARRIE N. ADAMS; she b. 29 July, 1846, dau. of Capt. William Adams, of Townsend, Mass. He resided, merchant and salesman, Ashburnham.

Five children:

I. HENRY MARTIN[8], b. 28 Nov., 1867.

II. WILLIE FRANK[8], b. 22 July, 1870.

III. ABBOTT BENJAMIN[8], b. 4 June, 1876.

IV. MABEL AUGUSTA[8], b. 7 June, 1879.

V. ORRIE ADAMS[8], b. 1 Apr., 1884.

75.

LEVI LANE[7] (Ziba[6.5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1806-1894, was born in Amherst, N. H., 13 Nov., 1806. In 1814, when eight years old, he moved with his parents from the state of Maine to Lyons, Wayne Co., N. Y. There was much work to be done in the new settlement. From his boyhood he did his full share. He learned the blacksmith trade and all through life was a hard worker. The habits of industry formed in youth followed him all his days. He was most happy when doing something useful.

He m. 4 Mar., 1829, SALLY BAUNETT when he was twenty-

two and she eighteen years of age. They lived happily together nearly 62 years. On March 4, 1889, their children gave them a surprise celebration, the sixtieth anniversary of their wedded life. In 1868, he united with the Presbyterian church of Lyons. In the feebleness of old age, when forgetful of other things, he never forgot his religious duties. Every day, to the very last, he read his Bible and offered prayer. He was a good man, of whom his neighbors and those who knew him best, speak only in terms of praise.

Mrs. Lane was b. 4 July, 1810, and d. 7 Dec., 1890. Mr. Lane d. March, 1894, æ. 87 years.

"Father, though from yonder sky
Cometh neither voice nor cry,
Yet we know from thee to-day,
Every pain hath passed away.

Not for thee shall tears be given,
Child of God and heir of heaven,
For he gave *thee* sweet release,
Thine the Christian's death of peace.

Well we know thy living faith
Had the power to conquer death,
As a living rose may bloom,
By the border of the tomb.

Father, in that solemn trust
We commend thee, dust to dust!
In that faith we wait, till risen,
Thou shall meet us all in heaven.

While we weep as Jesus wept,
Thou shall sleep as Jesus slept;
With thy Saviour thou shall rest,
Crowned and glorified and blest."

—*The Lyons Republican, Mar. 25, 1894.*

Eleven children:

I. ROBERT B.[8], b. 1 Apr., 1830, d. in infancy.

II. MARTHA[8], twin, b. 14 July, 1831, m. JOHN EVERHART, had two children and d. 1 May, 1888.

1. *George.* 2. *Belle.*

III. MARY[8], twin, b. 14 July, 1831, unm., d. 13 Feb., 1868.

IV. FRANCES G.[8], b. 19 June, 1834, unm.

V. ELIZABETH E.[8], b. 12 Aug., 1836, m. BARTON CORNWELL. Children:

1. *Alice.* 2. *Henry.* 3. *Hattie.* 4. *Nora.*

VI. RODNEY D.[8], b. 10 Apr., 1839, m. JENNIE WELLING. Children:

1. *John*[9]. 2. *Sadie*[9]. 3. *Welling*[9].

VII. BABY[8], b. 16 July, 1841, d. 9 Aug., 1841.

VIII. ROBERT B.[8], b. 27 July, 1843, d. 5 Aug., 1850.

IX. HARRIET B.[8], b. 8 Nov., 1846, m. JACOB VANDERBILT. Children:

1. *Ella V.* 2. *Edna M.*

X. LAURA J.[8], b. 26 May, 1849, m. AUGUSTUS BURNET, and had two children.

XI. LEVI E.[8], b. 5 Oct., 1851, m. EMMA GIFFORD. Children:

1. *Minnie*[9]. 2. *Willie*[9]. 3. *Martha*[9]. 4. *Jennie*[9]. 5. *Augustus*[9].

76.

JOHN LANE[7] (John[6], Ziba[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1825-1897, was born in Homer, Ill., 25 Sept., 1825, and inherited many of the best qualities and genius of his father. He was a blacksmith and manufacturer of ploughs at Lockport, Ill. Having realized a deserved and competent fortune, he retired to Chicago, residing in Kenwood, where he devoted his leisure to amateur floriculture and was an enthusiast in orchid and chrysanthemum culture. His extensive grounds, several greenhouses, and, during the summer, his garden were something worth seeing. His friends and neighbors reaped largely the benefits of his labor which were distributed to them with lavish generosity.—*The Inter-Ocean.*

The old family Bible and many records and relics which had been accumulating for several generations were burned in the great Chicago fire of 1871.

Mr. Lane m. June, 1847, MARY ELIZA RODGERS, who d. 17 Feb., 1892. He d. 17 April, 1897.

Four children born in Lockport:

102. I. JULIUS ARTHUR[8], b. 6 July, 1848, m. HELEN DUNCAN SHIPMAN.

II. ERNEST JOHN[8], b. 9 Mar., 1850, m. JULIA PIERCE, resided St. Louis, Mo., and had:

1. *Charles Ernest*[9].

III. ROSE HELEN[8], b. 20 Aug., 1855, m. 29 Oct., 1877, FRANK M. WILSON, capitalist at Kenwood, Cook Co., Ill., and had:

1. *Raymond Van Wilson*, b. 23 Aug., 1879.

IV. EMMA LILIAN[8], b. 5 Dec., 1859, m. at Kenwood, 1 Oct., 1890, Dr. SILAS J. BAIRD, of Youngstown, Ohio, and had:

1. *Raymond Marnine*, b. 3 Sept., 1893.

77.

JONATHAN ABBOT LANE[7] (Jonathan[6,5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1822-1898, was born in Bedford, Mass., 15 May, 1822, at the homestead built by his great grandfather, Mr. John Lane[4]. Moving with his parents to Boston, Mass., when he was between one and a half and two years old, and graduating from the old Boylston Grammar school in 1843, and from the English High school in 1837, he became a prominent man in the business, philanthropic and religious circles of Boston. "A typical Boston merchant, representing in his birth, tastes, training and influence all that is best, and standing high in the commercial circles of the city and of the nation as well."—*The Congregationalist.*

Entering as a boy the employ of a dry goods jobbing house, he obtained control of the business in 1849, and continued it in his

own name. The firm was afterward known as Lane & Washburn, then from 1864 to 1894, as Allen, Lane & Company; later it was incorporated as the Allen-Lane Company, with Mr. Lane as president. The concern has had different places of business, having been at No. 266 Devonshire street since the Boston fire of 1872, and is counted the oldest woolen commission house in Boston.

During the Civil War, Mr. Lane was president of a branch of the Union League and private in the Home Guards. He was a member of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, 1863 and 1864; and of the Senate 1874 and 1875; was life member and president of the old Mercantile Library Association, 1875-1878, and largely instrumental in the reorganization of that institution; served on the Executive Council of Governor Rice, 1878; president of the Boston Merchants' Association, 1887-1895, and represented the seventh Congressional district as Republican Presidential Elector, 1892. He was director of the American Congregational Association, 1893; president of the Congregational Club, 1894, of which he had been a member for twenty-five years from its organization; member of Mayor Quincy's Merchants' Municipal Committee and of the Associated Board of Trade, 1896; gave a reminiscent and racy address at the seventy-fifth anniversary of Union Church, with which he had been a member in youth and manhood, 1897. Mr. Lane was a life member of the American Economic Association, and spoke and wrote pamphlets on the subject of taxation and in behalf of consular reform. He was a charter member of the Boston Art Club; a life member of the Young Men's Christian Association, and the Young Men's Christian Union; one of the advisory board of the Children's Friend Society; a director of the Home for Aged Men; state trustee of the Hospital Cottages, Baldwinville, Mass., and was interested, officially or otherwise, in many other benevolent organizations. A list of Mr. Lane's Discourses and Sources of Biographical Information relating to him has been prepared by his son, Mr. Lucius P. Lane, and twenty-five copies have been privately printed. It may be consulted in some of the large libraries.

Ira A. Lane

Jonathan A. Lane married at West Hawley, Mass., by her father Rev. Benjamin F. Clarke, 13 Nov., 1851, SARAH DELIA CLARKE[4] (Benjamin F.[3], and Sarah, dau. of Israel and Chloe (Lombard) Chapin, Samuel[2], of Sharon, Mass., and Ursula Fellis Church, Joseph F.[1], of Jamaica Plain, Mass.) Mrs. Lane was born in Buckland, Mass., 7 Oct., 1826, and graduated from Mount Holyoke Female Seminary in 1845, being a classmate of Mr. Lane's sister, Ruhamah Augusta Lane. Mr. Lane died of heart failure, at his residence since 1856, No. 623 Tremont street, Sunday morning, June 5, 1898. Appropriate funeral services were held June 7, at the house and at the Union Church, Columbus Avenue. "Busy Boston stopped to honor one of its leaders in commerce and politics."—*Boston Herald.*

The interment was in the family lot at Bedford, Mass. Will dated April 12, 1889, was filed in the Registry of the Suffolk Probate Court, June 9, 1898; wife and eldest son executors.

"Mr. Lane had a reputation which was not confined within business limits, though for years he had been one of the leading spirits in the commercial life of Boston. Although he was well known as one of the Allen-Lane Company, dry goods commission merchants, he had large interests that lay in other social, political and charitable ways."—*Boston Journal.*

"In the death of Hon. Jonathan A. Lane the city of Boston has lost one of its most high minded and public spirited citizens. But his sympathies and his efforts were not bounded by local limitations. He desired pure and efficient city government, but his ideals did not halt at that point. He was no less ardent in his championship of large and practical reforms for state and nation. There was hardly a progressive or a philanthropic movement in this city that had not felt his influence. He had been helpful and zealous in whatever seemed to him to give promise of wholesome progress, and the good causes which had benefitted by his means, his counsel and his service were almost numberless."—*Boston Transcript.*

A monument in representation of a Grecian temple is erected to his memory in Shawshine cemetery, Bedford, Mass. Inscription: "Jonathan Abbot Lane, son of Jonathan and Ruhamah Lane, born

in Bedford, 15 May, 1822. After he had served his own generation by the will of God, fell on sleep, Boston, 5 June, 1898." This memorial, erected in the family enclosure, is but one of several which mark the resting place of former merchants and useful men of Boston, those to the memory of Jonathan Lane, the father, and Samuel W. Lane, a brother, being among them.

Six children:

103. I. JOHN CHAPIN[8], b. Boston, 8 Nov., 1852, m. HARRIET BREWER WINSLOW.

II. AUGUSTA BENJAMIN[8], b. Boston, 2 June, 1854, d. Littleton, Mass., 31 July, 1856.

III. FREDERIC HENRY[8], b. Boston, 25 May, 1858, B. S. Mass. Institute Technology, 1879. Allen-Lane Co., 49 Leonard street, New York City. Married at Macon, Ga., 27 Mar., 1890, LOUISE ABBOT LANE MOSELEY, of Hernando, Miss. They resided in New York, and had:

1. *Alfred Page*[9], b. 26 Sept., 1891.
2. *Abbott Atwood*[9], b. 16 Feb., 1893.

IV. ALFRED CHURCH[8], b. Boston, 29 Jan., 1863; A. B. Harvard College, 1883, instructor there 1883–'85, student at Heidelberg, Germany, 1886–'87, A.M., Ph.D., Harvard 1888; student of the family history in England and America, State Geologist of Michigan, with residence at Houghton, and later, Lansing, Mich. He has printed important geological papers in American and German publications. Fellow of the Geological Society of America, F. G. S. A.

Dr. Lane m. 15 Apr., 1896, SUSANNE LAURIAT; she (bap. Susan Foster) dau. of Charles E. and Harriet Fidelia Lauriat of the firm Estes & Lauriat, Boston, Mass. Son:

1. *Lauriat*[9], b. Brookline, Mass., 14 Nov., 1898.

V. BENJAMIN CLARKE[8], b. Boston, 2 Oct., 1866; English High school class of 1883, and Mass. Institute Technology, 1883–'87; of the Allen-Lane Co., 266 Devonshire street, Boston; regular Republican nominee for Congress from the ninth Massachusetts District in 1892, at the age of 25; member of the Republican State Committee, 7th Suffolk Senatorial District, 1894–'95, of the

John C. Lane

Sarah D. Lane

Wm. H. Lane

Alfred O. Lane

Beryl Lane

Lucius Page Lane

THE WIFE AND SONS OF JONATHAN A. LANE.

Boston Municipal League, 1894——, of the Common Council of the city of Boston, 1895 and 1896; active member of the Old South Historical Society, 1884, and Speaker of the Boston Young Men's Congress, 31st and 32d sessions. He m. 25 April, 1899, in Union Church, Boston, by Rev. Samuel Lane Loomis, pastor of the church and cousin of the groom, MISS FLORENCE GOODWIN, of the Boston University class of 1895, dau. of the late Henry Harrison Goodwin, of South Berwick, Me. Home on Maxfield street, West Roxbury, Mass.

VI. LUCIUS PAGE[8], b. Boston, 7 Jan., 1872, graduated Mass. Institute Technology, 1894, Harvard University, 1895, student New York State Library School, Albany, N. Y., class of 1899, is employed in the Boston Public Library; has visited the old homestead in England and assisted greatly in the Genealogy.

78.

REV. ELIHU LOOMIS[7], born Huttonville, Randolph Co., Va., 13 Oct., 1823, son of Rev. Aretas[6], of Bennington, Vt., and wife Sarah (Goodman) Loomis, of Greenfield, Mass., (Shem[5], Amos[4], Stephen[3], Joseph[2], Joseph[1], from Braintree, Essex Co., England, of Boston, Mass., 1638, of Windsor, Conn., 1639), graduated Williams College, 1847, was ordained 1851, and held Congregational pastorates at Pownal, Vt., 1851–'53, Littleton, Mass., 1854–'69, Chesterfield, Ill., 1870–'79, Memphis, Mo., 1879–'80, Bonne Terre, Mo., 1880–'81, Oakwood, Mich., 1882–'84, Chesterfield, Mass., 1885–'94, without charge Bedford, Mass., 1895.

Rev. Mr. Loomis m. first, 26 Nov., 1851, RUHAMAH AUGUSTA LANE[7] (Jonathan[6.5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]); she b. Boston, Mass., 29 July, 1824, graduated Mount Holyoke, 1845, d. Littleton, Mass., 24 Feb., 1867. He m. second, LUCY ANNETTE MONROE, of Chesterfield, Ill., by whom he had children.

Children of Rev. Elihu and Ruhamah Augusta (Lane) Loomis:

I. ELIHU GOODMAN[8], b. Bedford, Mass., 22 Oct., 1852, fitted for college at Lawrence Academy, Groton, Mass., Appleton Acad-

emy, New Ipswich, N. H., and Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass., graduated Amherst College, 1874, studied law with George W. Morse, of Boston, and at the law school, Boston University, and was admitted to the Suffolk Co. Bar in 1878, and has extensive practice in Boston. He m. 11 Apr., 1882, MARIAN HILLHOUSE FITCH, of Norwich, Conn.; she b. Norwich Town, Conn., 28 Sept., 1860. They settled in Bedford, Mass., on the David Reed place, previously owned by his grandparents, Jonathan and Ruhamah (Page) Lane. Here he was town officer and prominent citizen, special Justice of District Court of Central Middlesex, 1898. Children:

1. *Mary Fitch*[9], b. 29 July, 1883, d. 19 Mar., 1892.
2. *Ralph Lane*[9], b. 13 Apr., 1887.
3. *Hubert Hillhouse*[9], b. 16 Mar., 1889.
4. *Samuel*[9], b. 18 Sept., 1892.
5. *William Fitch*[9], b. 27 Apr., 1894.

104. II. SAMUEL LANE[8], b. Littleton, Mass., 16 Aug., 1856, m. MARION CAMP LIPPINCOTT.

III. HENRY ABBOT[8], b. Littleton, Mass., 29 Oct., 1860, firm of Hayes & Loomis, Shoe and Travelers League, Boston, Mass., m. 29 Dec., 1885, FLORENCE ELIZABETH BARKER, and d. 13 Oct., 1890. Had daughter:

1. *Elizabeth Bellamy*[9], b. 20 Nov., 1889.

Mrs. Loomis m. second, 23 June, 1898, by Rev. Samuel Lane Loomis, WILLIAM T. WHEDON, of Norwood, Mass.

IV. ARETAS GEORGE[8], d. aged three months.

79.

STEPHEN ABBOT LANE[7] (Josiah Abbot[6], Jonathan[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), b. New York city, 24 Feb., 1821, m. 24 Jan., 1852, MARY LAVINIA BANCROFT; she b. Brooklyn, N. Y., 25 Sept., 1834. They resided 973 Madison street, Brooklyn, N. Y., January, 1899.

Children born in Brooklyn:

I. CHARLES BANCROFT[8], b. 10 Nov., 1853, m. first, 29 Mar.,

R. Augusta Loomis

Elihu G. Loomis Henry A. Loomis

Saml. Lane Loomis.

RUHAMAH AUGUSTA (LANE) LOOMIS AND HER SONS.

1880, THEODORA OLIVIA DOTEN, m. second, 29 Nov., 1888, REBECKA BARKER. No children by either marriage.

II. LORENZO DURYEA[8], b. 6 May, 1859, unm., d. 29 Mar., 1880.

III. FREDDIE RUSSELL[8], b. 13 Sept., 1865; d. 16 July, 1866.

IV. LAURA MAY[8], b. 11 Dec., 1868.

80.

JOHN SAMUEL LANE[7] (Josiah Abbot[6], Jonathan[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), was b. in New York city, 24 May, 1823, m. 11 Nov., 1845, CAROLINE M. WATERBURY, and settled in Mount Vernon, N. Y.

Children:

I. HENRY PUTNAM[8], b. 20 Oct., 1848, m. 1 Aug., 1871, SARAH FREEMAN TEED, and d. 15 Oct., 1887. She was b. 25 Nov., 1852, and m. second, 19 Nov., 1891, ELEAZER GILES LEMON; he b. 13 Sept., 1847, in business with the Sawyer Woolen Mills Co., of Dover, N. H., as its New York agent, boarding at Hotel Endicott. Children of Henry P. and Sarah F. Lane:

1. *Emma Maud*[9], b. 1 Feb., 1873, m. 25 June, 1899, *Robert Winthrop Brett.*
2. *Henry Paul*[9], b. 28 Aug., 1875, d. 8 Feb., 1884.
3. *Carrie May*[9], b. 17 Oct., 1878, d. 28 Nov., 1881.

II. WILLIAM MALCOM[8], b. 24 Dec., 1853, d. 12 Feb., 1867.

III. JOHN SCUDDER[8], b. 17 Sept., 1861, d. 18 July, 1888.

IV. ALBERT WATERBURY[8], b. 16 Dec., 1863, traveling salesman, m. 10 Oct., 1888, NENA BARBEE, and had:

1. *Gladys B.*[9], b. 5 Sept., 1891.
2. *Albert W.*[9], b. 20 May, 1893.

81.

CHARLES GARDNER LANE[7] (Josiah Abbot[6], Jonathan[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), b. New York city, 29 Dec., 1835, m. 6 Aug., 1863, MARIA BURNHAM FRAZIER; she b. 1 Sept.,

1836. They resided 105 Adelphi street, Brooklyn, N. Y., January, 1899.

Children born in Brooklyn:

I. SAMUEL H.[8], b. 20 May, 1864, d. 21 May, 1864.

II. ALBERT F.[8], b. 13 Nov., 1865, m. 14 Feb., 1893, ELEANOR E. WILSON, of Brooklyn, and had children:

1. *Edith F.*[9], b. 4 Apr., 1894.
2. *Marian E.*[9], b. 20 June, 1895.
3. *Charles Nelson Currier*[9], b. 1 Nov., 1898.

III. ANNIE ESTELLA[8], b. 12 Aug., 1868, m. 10 July, 1894, CHARLES NELSON CURRIER, of New Brunswick, Canada. No children.

IV. JOSEPH ABBOT[8], b. 7 Feb., 1871, m. 12 Oct., 1898, HELEN BEITH.

V. CHARLES GARDNER, Jr.[8], b. 26 Oct., 1873, m. 14 Feb., 1897, LILLIAN MCMULLAN. Child:

1. *Naomi L.*[9], b. 3 Jan., 1898.

82.

CHARLES DEWITT LANE[7] (George[6], Jonathan[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1],) b. 2 Feb., 1833, in Charlestown, Mass., m. 1865, JOSEPHINE BELL BAKER. Was a minute man in Civil War of 1861, enlisted in Charlestown City Guards, 5th Mass. Regt., and was in first battle of Bull Run.

Children:

I. FRANK CHURCH[8], b. 20 Jan., 1866, m. 10 Feb., 1886, HANNAH AUSTIN PENHALLOW, of Portsmouth, N. H. Their children:

1. *Helen Penhallow*[9], b. 23 June, 1887.
2. *Mary Pickering*[9], b. 14 Jan., 1891, d. 17 Feb., 1897.
3. *Katherine Wyman*[9], b. 5 Feb., 1895.
4. *Marion Haven*[9], b. 15 May, 1898.

II. DEWITT[8], b. 11 Nov., 1867.

III. MARY BAKER[8], b. 24 Mar., 1870, d. 9 Sept., 1871.

83.

EBENEZER HAYWARD LANE[7] (John Samuel[6], Jonathan[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), b. 6 Nov., 1848, m. 25 Oct., 1877, CATHERINE MURRAY; she b. 27 Sept., 1860.

Children:

I. CLAIR DEWITT[8], b. 4 Sept., 1878.

II. ARLINE GRACE[8], b. 10 Dec., 1881.

III. GERTRUDE EVANGELINE[8], b. 1 Mar., 1884.

IV. RUTH CLEAVELAND[8], b. 2 Apr., 1894.

84.

HIRAM H. LANE[7] (John[6], Gershom F.[5], John[4,3,2], Job[1]), 1802-1878, was born in Penn., 24 Oct., 1802, and moved with his parents to Ohio about 1812; m. at Windsor, O., 11 Aug., 1831, DRUSILLA E. DAVIS; she b. 25 Aug., 1812. They settled at Wesley Township, Wash. Co., O. He d. 9 Mar., 1878.

Children:

105. I. RICHARD[8], b. 9 June, 1832, m. ELIZABETH MILLER.

II. JESSE D.[8], b. 3 Jan., 1834, m. at Windsor, O., 26 Oct., 1865, LINNIE A. PIERIOT; she b. 5 Feb., 1845. No children.

III. NANCY[8], b. 3 Feb., 1837, m. 12 Dec., 1861, WILLIAM MILLER, and d. 27 Sept., 1880; he b. in Harrison Co., O., 1 Nov., 1836, and settled in Franklin, O. Their children:

1. *Ella A.*, b. 6 Nov., 1862, m. 6 May, 1883, *C. C. Coulson*; he b. 12 Nov., 1859, and had:

1) Mary D., b. 30 July, 1884. 2) Roger W., b. 28 Oct., 1890.

2. *Maggie J.*, b. 17 Sept., 1864, m. 23 Jan., 1895, *George W. Miller*; he b. 3 Mar., 1870.
3. *Charles B.*, b. 11 Nov., 1866, d. 5 Apr., 1890.
4. *Frank G.*, b. 27 Nov., 1868.
5. *Jesse P.*, b. 21 Jan., 1871.
6. *Mary D.*, b. 27 Mar., 1873.
7. *Hattie*, b. 15 Nov., 1875.
8. *Blanche*, b. 10 July, 1880.

IV. HENRY[8], b. 19 Jan., 1839, d. 19 Sept., 1839.

V. MARY A.[8], b. 30 May, 1844, m. at McConnellsville, O., 17 Oct., 1867, Capt. CHARLES J. GIBSON; he b. Morgan Co., O., 31 May, 1841. She d. 3 June, 1884. Their children:

1. *Myrta D.*, b. 11 Dec., 1868, m. 28 Mar., 1885, *Dr. J. B. Naylor*, and d. 18 June, 1886; he b. 4 Oct., 1860.
2. *Jessie L.*, b. 4 Mar., 1869, m. 12 Aug., 1888, *G. L. Kean*; he b. 4 Dec., 1863, and they had:

1) Mary F., b. 6 Feb., 1889. 2) Harry B., b. 11 June, 1892.

3. *Thomas B.*, b. 12 Nov., 1871.
4. *Milton*, b. 17 July, 1873, d. 19 Sept., 1873.
5. *Clara M.*, b. 3 Jan., 1878.
6. *Harry L.*, b. 27 Dec., 1881, d. 9 Aug., 1882.
7. *Mary M.*, b. 16 July, 1884.

106. VI. THOMAS BENTON[8], b. 11 Oct., 1844, m. LUCIA M. ROLAND.

85.

RICHARD LANE[7] (John[6], Gershom F.[5], John[4.3.2], Job[1]), 1812-1892, was born in Penn., 14 Feb., 1812, moved in infancy with his parents to Ohio, m. 19 Dec., 1833, ELIZABETH HORN, who was b. 14 Feb., 1812, and d. 20 Dec., 1891. He d. 8 Jan., 1892.

Children:

I. MINERVA[8], b. 2 Apr., 1835, m. 9 Nov., 1854, JOHN LARIMORE; he b. 7 Oct., 1831. Their children:

1. *Clara E.*, b. 26 Sept., 1855, d. 17 Nov., 1859.
2. *Elma E.*, b. 8 Oct., 1856, d. 10 June, 1873.
3. *Caroline M.*, b. 12 Sept., 1858, m. 21 Nov., 1877, *John R. Black*; he b. 1 Mar., 1853, and had:

1) Mary T., b. 24 Nov., 1878. 2) Richard L., b. 27 May, 1881.

4. *William G.*, b. 9 Apr., 1860.
5. *George L.*, b. 11 May, 1862, m. 14 Feb., 1888, *Lillie L. King*; she b. 1 Oct., 1866, and had:

1) Walter King, b. 3 Jan., 1889, and took the prize at baby show, Topeka, Kan.

6. *Richard C.*, b. 12 Sept., 1864.
7. *Blanche*, b. 6 Aug., 1866, m. 18 Sept., 1888, *Sherman S. White*; he b. 14 Nov., 1864, and had:

1) Harry D., b. 1 July, 1889, d. 25 Sept., 1889. 2) Wilbur S., b. 22 Sept., 1890. 3) Mildred B., b. 19 July, 1892.

8. *Fannie F.*, b. 5 July, 1868, m. 26 Mar., 1889, *Clarence E. Perry*; he b. 15 June, 1869, and had:

1) Ivy P., b. 8 July, 1890. 2) Edith M., b. 15 Nov., 1892.

9. *Bruce L.*, b. 4 Apr., 1871, m. 2 Oct., 1895, *Mary E. Bonham*; she b. 28 Sept., 1872.
10. *Jessie V.*, b. 13 Feb., 1873, m. 24 Jan., 1895, *Asa H. Brown*; he b. 27 Apr., 1872.
11. *Infant Son*, b. 11 Aug., 1874, d. 19 Oct., 1874.
12. *James U.*, b. 30 Sept., 1875, d. 24 Mar., 1877.
13. *Fred B.*, b. 5 July, 1878.

II. GEORGE W.[8], b. 17 Apr., 1838, m. 10 Nov., 1859, H. ELLEN BELT and d. 27 Mar., 1861. She was b. 10 Nov., 1839. Their only child:

1. *Clara E.*[9], b. 18 Feb., 1861, m. 23 Nov., 1881, *Thomas Williams*, he b. 5 May, 1855, and had:

1) Louise, b. 1 Aug., 1894.

86.

DANIEL LLOYD NORTH, m. 4 Mar., 1844, MARY EVALINE LANE[7] (George W.[6], Gershom F.[5], John[4,3,2], Job[1]), she b. Montrose, Pa., 25 Nov., 1823, and d. of paralysis 4 Jan., 1894.

Their children:

I. AGNES ANN, b. 24 Feb., 1845, m. first, 7 Dec., 1868, GEORGE LEWIS, m. second, 14 Sept., 1873, ANDREW A. PARMELEE. Her children:

1. *Adolphus Corella* (Lewis) b. 28 Sept., 1869, m. 21 Sept., 1892, *Edith Berry*.
2. *Katherine May*, b. 5 May, 1871.
3. *Frank Edward* (Parmelee) b. 15 Jan., 1875.
4. *Burt Olmstead*, b. 10 Dec., 1878.
5. *Arthur Andrew*, b. 15 May, 1880.
6. *Lillian Grace*, twin, b. 4 June, 1883.
7. *Leon Walter*, twin, b. 4 June, 1883.

II. ELLA F., b. 12 Sept., 1846, m. W. W. ROGERS, and had:

1. *Delphine*, b. 5 June, 1870.
2. *Charles*, b. 20 Jan., 1876.
3. *Edna*, b. 23 Feb., 1877.

III. SARAH J., b. 13 Aug., 1848, m. 7 Dec., 1870, CHARLES FRINK, and had:

1. *Frederick W.*, b. 20 Jan., 1872.

IV. GEORGE L., b. 13 Jan., 1851, m. MABEL ——, and had:

1. *Charles V.*, b. 4 Aug., 1880.
2. *Daniel L.*, b. 5 Jan., 1884.

V. EDWARD R., b. 29 Nov., 1854 m. CHRISTIE ——, and had:

1. *Willie E.*, b. 14 Sept., 1879.
2. *Mary E.*, b. 6 Nov., 1881.
3. *Sarah E.*, b. 15 Dec., 1884.
4. *Lewis*, b. 16 June, 1888.

VI. NAHUM J., b. 4 July, 1859, m. 1882, ARVILLA BENNETT, and had:

1. *Corella*, b. 16 Apr., 1883.

87.

SAMUEL FREEMAN LANE[7] (George W.[6], Gershom F.[5], John[4.3.2], Job[1]), b. Montrose, Pa., 31 Aug., 1834, student at Montrose Academy, school teacher, began study of law 1859. He enlisted 1861 in First Pennsylvania Cavalry, was transferred to Signal Corps, Army of the Potomac, Feb., 1864, and was discharged at the close of the war, Aug., 1865. He was high sheriff of Susquehanna Co., Pa., Oct., 1866, to 1869, was admitted to the bar of Susquehanna Co., Jan., 1879, and held a leading position in his profession. He was nominated for Justice of the Supreme Court of Penn. by the People's Party, Sept. 7, 1899. He has assisted greatly in the family history.

Mr. Lane m. 14 Nov., 1866, KATE WELLS. They resided in Montrose, Pa.

Children:

I. GRACE A.[8], b. 27 Oct., 1867.

II. OLMSTEAD,[8] b. 20 Oct., 1869, d. 25 Dec., 1878.

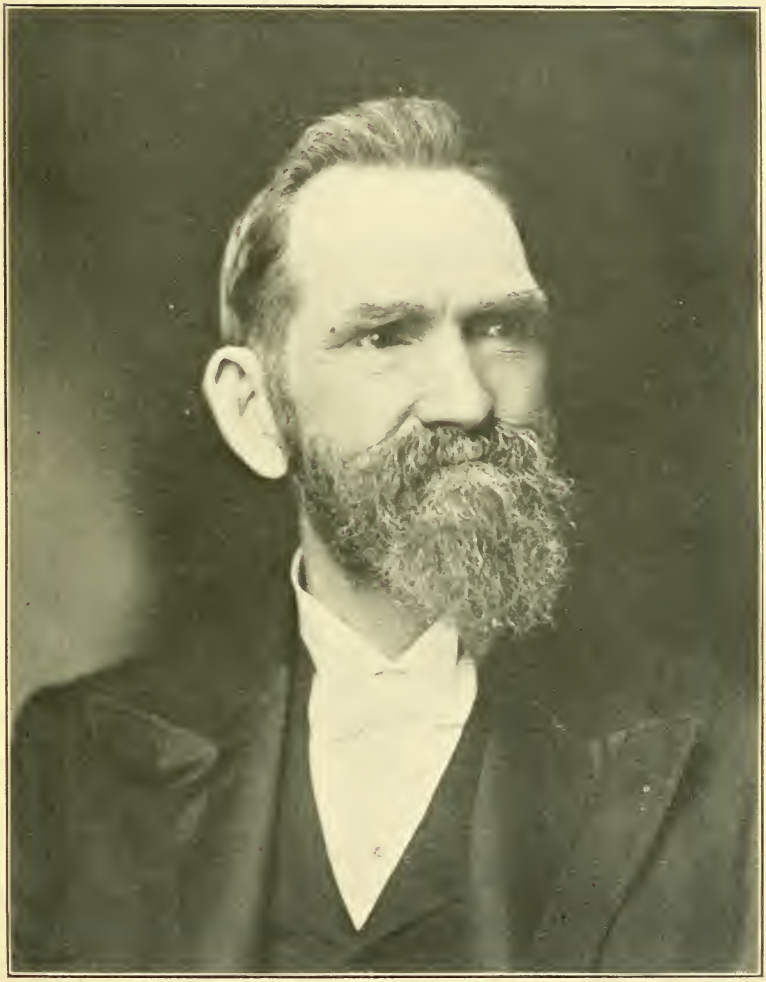
III. JESSE LAMONT[8], b. 21 Sept., 1871.

IV. BRUCE[8], b. 23 June, 1874, d. 28 Feb., 1875.

V. WALTER FREEMAN[8], b. 26 Apr., 1876.

VI. EMMA MAY[8], b. 23 July, 1877.

VII. PAULINE[8], b. 2 May, 1881.



SAMUEL FREEMAN LANE.

88.

AARON BUNNELL, b. 30 Jan., 1828, lived at Russell Hill, Pa., where he d. 7 Jan., 1894. He m. 23 Apr., 1849, CLEMENTINE LANE[7] (Thomas[6], Gershom F.[5], John[4.3.2], Job[1]); she b. 30 July, 1829, at Montrose, Pa.

Their children:

I. CLARA ROSALETTA, b. 22 May, 1850, m. 24 Mar., 1873, MARTIN M. BRAMHALL, lived at La Porte, Ind., and had:

1. *Edith Clementine*, b. 8 Mar., 1874.
2. *Bertha Evelyn*, b. 27 Nov., 1878.
3. *Arthur Eugene*, b. 24 Aug., 1884.
4. *Ralph Rodger*, b. 8 Oct., 1887.

II. BESSIE AMANDA, b. 16 Jan., 1852, m. 24 Oct., 1876, HARRIDON STERLING JENNINGS; he b. 21 May, 1853, lived at North Mehoopany, Pa., and had:

1. *Joanna*, b. 7 Sept., 1879.
2. *Leonell*, b. 5 Oct., 1882.
3. *Sterling Bunnell*, b. 18 Feb., 1886.

III. JOHN GILBERT, b. 1 Mar., 1856, d. 10 Sept., 1858.

IV. MARY FRANCES, b. 18 July, 1858, m. 1 Mar., 1880, MANUEL THOMAS SILVARA, lived at Silvara, Bradford Co., Pa., where he d. 14 Aug., 1892, and she d. 13 Sept., 1893. Their children:

1. *Harridon A.*, b. 30 Dec., 1880.
2. *Eva Clementine*, b. 9 Nov., 1885.

V. ALMA E., b. 8 Jan., 1861, d. 8 June, 1862.

VI. JAMES LANE, b. 1 May, 1862, resided at Russell Hill, Pa.

VII. MINNIE JOSEPHINE, b. 1 Nov., 1865.

VIII. ELEANOR ROENA, b. 1 July, 1868.

IX. JOHN WALTER, b. 12 Aug., 1871.

89.

LUCIUS EUART WILLIAMS, b. 24 Apr., 1827, m. 28 Dec., 1854, ANNE MARIA LANE[7] (Thomas[6], Gershom F.[6], John[4.3.2], Job[1]), she b. Montrose, Pa., 22 Jan., 1833. They lived at Newark Valley, N. Y.

Their children:

I. MYRON LANE, b. 1 Oct., 1855, m. 14 Dec., 1881, FANNIE E. WILLEY. Their children:

1. *Lucius Norman*, b. 23 Oct., 1888.
2. *Charles Clark*, b. 26 Feb., 1890.
3. *Ralph Burrett*, b. 19 Nov., 1892.

II. LILLIAN SARAH, b. 1 June, 1863, m. 10 June, 1885, CHARLES S. PAYNE, M. D., Liberty, Sullivan Co., N. Y., and had:

1. *Euart Williams*, b. 26 Apr., 1887, d. 5 Sept., 1887.
2. *Anna Louise*, b. 3 Apr., 1891.
3. *Evelyn*, b. 25 Apr., 1894.

III. JULIA CLEMENTINE, b. 26 Feb., 1866, d. 27 Apr., 1870.

IV. NORMAN MERRILL, b. 30 Dec., 1868, d. 13 Oct., 1871.

90.

LEMUEL BLAKESLEE, of Springville, Pa., m. 27 Dec., 1855, CHARLOTTE LANE[7] (Thomas[6], Gershom F.[5], John[4.3.2], Job[1]), she b. Montrose, Pa., 15 Mar., 1837. He d. 10 Jan., 1893.

Their children:

I. JESSIE M., b. 14 Nov., 1856.

II. LOUISA E., b. 24 Mar., 1860.

III. ROBERT L., b. 23 Sept., 1865, m. 20 Sept., 1888, MARY E. KILTS, and had:

1. *Robert Paul*, b. 11 Nov., 1889.
2. *Betsey Madeline*, b. 1 Mar., 1892.

IV. SARAH M., b. 13 Jan., 1868, d. 13 Mar., 1876.

V. JAMES A., b. 22 Dec., 1869.

VI. LOTTIE CAROLINE, b. 14 Jan., 1874.

VII. MARIAN C., b. 9 Jan., 1876.

VIII. KATE HELENE, b. 23 July, 1879.

91.

WILLIAM AUGUSTUS LANE[7] (Oliver W.[6], Solomon[5], James[4.3], John[2], Job[1]), 1822–1887, b. 12 Mar., 1822, m. first, MARY P. WRIGHT, of Pepperill, who d. 21 Sept., 1852, æ. 31; m. second, JULIA M., dau. of Thomas and Betsey HOUGHTON, of Northfield, Vt., who d. 21 July, 1872, æ. 42; m. third, 1 Jan., 1873, SARAH M., widow of George W. LANE[8] (Abner B.[7], Eliab B.[6], John[5.4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]).

Mr. Lane res. Bedford, was an auctioneer and d. 31 July, 1887, æ. 65 yrs., 4 ms., 19 ds.

Children by first wife:

I. MARY ELLA[8], b. 25 Feb., 1849, m. CHARLES A. COREY, town clerk, Bedford, 1871, onward a score of years. No. 37, III. 2. She d. 26 July, 1879, leaving:

1. *Lottie May*, b. 24 June, 1870.
2. *Mary Adelle*, b. 25 July, 1876.

By second wife:

II. HENRY W.[8], b. 31 Aug., 1855, d. 27 Oct., 1855, æ. 2 ms.

III. WILLIAM M.[8], b. 31 Aug., 1855, twin, d. in infancy.

IV. ROSA BELLE[8], b. 4 July, 1858, m. 29 Nov., 1873, at the age of 15 years, WALLACE ELLITHORP, son of Henry and Annie of Edinburgh, Scotland.

92.

OLIVER JOSIAH LANE[7] (Oliver W.[6], Solomon[5], James[4.3], John[2], Job[1]), was b. in Bedford, Mass., 29 Jan., 1828, a carpenter and builder, erected his dwelling on an old homestead of the Bedford Lanes for five generations; was chairman and treasurer of the committee for Bedford's Sesqui-Centennial in 1879. When the Union school house in Bedford was dedicated, Dec. 31, 1891, Hon. Jonathan A. Lane, of Boston, tendered the gift of a clock, and Oliver J. Lane, Esq., as chairman of the Selectmen, delivered the keys from the Building Committee to the School Board. He

served as Selectman, 1859-'65, 1868-'73, 1877-'78, 1881 until 1896, and was Moderator 41 years, of more town meetings than any other citizen. Action of the town of Bedford, March 2, 1896.

"*Resolved*, That a vote of thanks be given Mr. Oliver J. Lane for his valuable services as a town officer for the last twenty-five years, and that the same be placed on the records of the town; and a copy of this vote so cordially given Mr. Lane by a rising vote of the town be handed him by the clerk."

Mr. Lane m. 28 Apr., 1853, MARY ANN, dau. of John D. and Eliza A. BILLINGS.

Children:

107. I. JOHN WELLINGTON[8], b. 2 May, 1854, m. MARY M. C. MARBLE.

II. ALICE WALTON[8], b. 16 Feb., 1857, m. 28 Aug., 1883, JAMES STODDARD, he b. 1856, son of William J. and Joanna W. Stoddard. Had:

1. *Alice Lane*, b. 29 May, 1884.

III. M. ATHALIA[8], b. 18 Dec., 1859.

IV. ELMER A.[8], b. 17 Nov., 1863, m. 23 Oct., 1888, NETTIE L. ADAMS, dau. of George and Maria A. (Lincoln) Adams. Had:

1. *Frank Adams*[9], b. 16 Sept., 1889.

V. EDITH L.[8], b. 4 Jan., 1866.

93.

SAMUEL LEAVITT LANE[7] (Oliver W.[6], Solomon[5], James[4.3], John[2], Job[1]), 1838–1877, was born in Bedford, Mass., 24 Feb., 1838; enlisted July 16, 1864, in Co. D, 6th Regiment of Mass. Volunteers for 100 days, went to military camp at Lowell, Mass., July 24, 1864, and was stationed later at Fort Delaware. He d. 11 Jan., 1877, æ. 38 yrs., 10 ms. The town of Bedford received $50, April, 1893, for the care of his lot, No. 207 in the burial ground.

Mr. Lane m. 23 May, 1861, FRANCES E., dau. of Isaac and Lydia PINKHAM.

Children :

I. ARTHUR W.[8], b. 21 July, 1865, d. 7 July, 1879, æ. 13 years.

II. ERNEST P.[8], b. 31 Aug., 1873.

94.

JOB BLANCHARD LANE[7] (David[6,5], James[4,3], John[2], Job[1]), 1828–1890, b. Bedford, Mass., 18 Oct., 1833, m. 17 June, 1862, CAROLINE P. RUSSELL, she b. 1842, dau. of Royal and Roxy B. Russell. He settled on the homestead in Bedford and d. 14 May, 1890, leaving widow and son.

I. WALTER DAVID[8], b. 18 Oct., 1866. He stood by and saw a part of the ancestral acres sold under the hammer in September, 1891. This was the first transfer by deed of estate that eight generations of the Lane family had owned and occupied for 227 years since the purchase of Job Lane, Senior, from Gov. Fitz-John Winthrop in August, 1664.

Walter D. Lane and his mother now live on the estate. David Lane built the present house.

95.

MOSES WRIGHT RICHARDSON, a merchant of Boston, Mass., was born 1 Jan., 1827, son of Thomas and Mary (Wright) Richardson, of Fitzwilliam, N. H. He m. 5 June, 1855, ELIZA WAIT LANE[7] (Jonas Henry[6], Jonas[5], Samuel[4], James[3], John[2], Job[1]), she b. Boston, 27 Apr., 1833. She was christened in Bowdoin street church, bearing the names of her two grandmothers; was the victim of vaccination at three months old, revaccination with effect 1837, chicken pox 1838, whooping cough 1839, measles 1841, scarlet fever 1841, vaccination again 1854. Her teachers were Sarah H. Lothrop under Chauncey Place church 1841, Emma Lothrop 1844, Misses Sullivan, at Quincy and Ellen Reed, in Park street 1845, Adams and Welds, Winter street 1847,

Rev. Hubbard Winslow, Allston street, 1850 to 1852, with lessons upon the piano 1842, vocal music 1845, and riding school 1846.

In 1854, she became engaged to Mr. Richardson, to whom she was married by Rev. George Richards, pastor of the Central church, at her father's residence No. 4 Montgomery Place, in presence of numerous friends, and receiving costly wedding presents with an evening band concert. "The guests of the day and the evening serenaders were generously entertained, but no wine or spirits were served."

After a month's wedding trip, they occupied rooms at No. 2 Avon Place and went to house-keeping in their new house No. 589 Tremont avenue, Feb. 3, 1858. With delicate health she visited continental Europe, accompanied by her husband and sister Charlotte T. Lane, in 1868, and subsequently spent much time at health resorts in Massachusets and at Lake George, Saratoga and New York city. A professor of Christ's religion and member of Shawmut Congregational church, she fell asleep in Jesus, 2 Feb., 1872. Her age was 38 yrs., 9 ms., 6 ds.

Their children were:

I. DAUGHTER, stillborn, 10 Apr., 1856.

II. FANNY BROWN, b. 29 Mar., 1858, d. of brain fever, 9 Aug., 1864, æ. 6 yrs., 4 ms., 10 ds.

III. ALICE WRIGHT, b. 15 Aug., 1859, d. 2 Sept., 1859, æ. 17 ds.

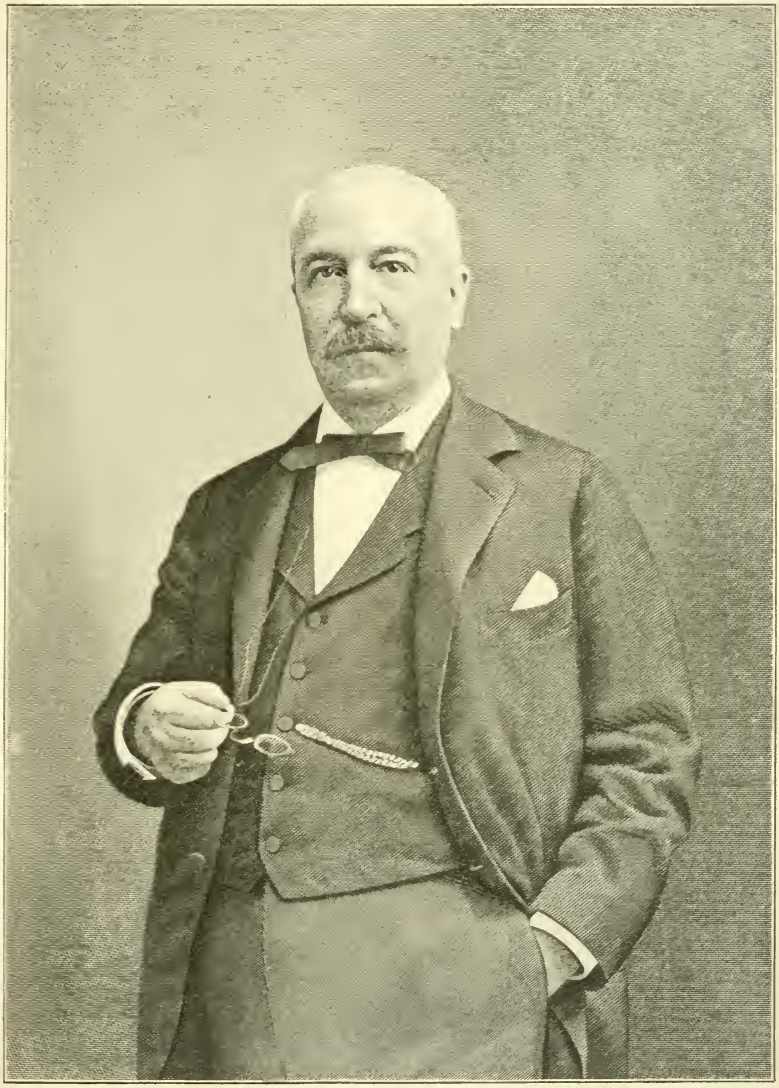
IV. HENRY, b. 12 Feb., 1861, d. 24 Feb., 1861, æ. 12 ds.

V. SON, stillborn.

VI. ARTHUR KIMBALL, b. 26 Feb., 1866.

96.

JONAS HENRY LANE, JR.[7] (Jonas H.[6], Jonas[5], Samuel[4], James[3], John[2], Job[1]), was b. at 170 Washington street, Boston, 4 Jan., 1837, and christened the first Sabbath in June, 1837, at the Franklin street church, by Rev. Wm. M. Rogers, bearing the name of his father and grandfather Lane. He fought successfully man's mortal enemies: vaccination when four weeks old, chicken pox



JONAS HENRY LANE, JR.

1838, whooping cough 1839, inflammatory fever 1839, croup 1840, measles 1841, lung fever 1845, varioloid 1854, billious fever 1862, nervous prostration 1872. He attended public Primary school in Harvard Place 1842–1844, Adams' private school in Mason street 1844–1847, Amos Baker's school in Chapman Place 1849–1852, Comer's Commercial College 1852. He entered, as clerk, the counting room of Read, Chadwick & Dexter, Bowdoin Block, Milk street, Nov. 2, 1852. Here he bought his fur hat 1854, and gold watch 1855, holding the clerkship till his majority, Jan. 4, 1858. He was salesman at the New York branch of the house 1858–1859.

Mr. Lane became partner in the firm of H. Ammidon & Co., dry goods commission house, New York, in 1861. He had continuous success in business under the firm of H. Ammidon & Co. till 1864, and Ammidon, Lane & Co. subsequently, until his mill at Oakdale, Mass., was totally destroyed by fire, Sept. 7, 1871. By this fire and subsequent bankruptcy of a large part of the insurance companies, the mill sustained a loss of some $90,000, one-half being owned by Mr. Lane. By the great fires in Chicago and Boston in 1871 and 1872, his losses in insurance investments were $20,000 more. He was president of the West Boylston, Mass., Manufacturing Co. 1871, and was elected president of the U. S. Corset Co. of New York, in the spring of 1872, a new enterprise. Ammidon, Lane & Co., Worth street, N. Y. city, had successors Ammidon & Smith, Dec. 4, 1890. Mr. Lane is still in business under the style of J. H. Lane & Co., New York city.

Jonas Henry Lane, Jr., m. 19 Jan., 1860, his cousin ISABELLA ALMIRA HOOPER; she b. 24 July, 1836, dau. of James, Jr., and Mary (Lane) Hooper, of Walpole, N. H., and Charlestown, Mass. The marriage was solemnized by Rev. Edward N. Kirk, D.D., at his father's house No. 4 Montgomery Place, Boston, amid mutual friends with numerous wedding presents to the bride and groom. They resided in New York city and at Sycamore cottage in Llewellyn Park, Orange, N. J., which he had bought. He also purchased at auction in Oct., 1868, house No. 131 East 21st street, New York city, for $65,000 and subsequently the furniture for $15,500. They moved into it Nov. 1, 1868, and had the

pleasure of welcoming as first guests the same week his sisters Eliza and Charlotte and brother-in-law M. W. Richardson, who then arrived from Europe. Mr. Lane made a most delightful vacation trip with wife, children and sister, Apr. 22, to June 10, 1872, to California, from which all returned with renewed health and vigor. Business and recreation have taken him on visits to Europe as late as 1899.

Six children:

I. HENRY ANTHONY[8], b. New York city, 15 Jan., 1863.

II. JAMES WARREN[8], b. South Orange, N. J., 31 July, 1864, a merchant of the firm J. H. Lane, New York city; m. 19 June, 1890, by Rev. Wm. Hamilton Morgan, EVA METCALF BLISS; she b. 15 Oct., 1866, only child of Eliphalet William and Anne Elizabeth (Metcalf) Bliss, of Fly Creek, Otsego Co., N. Y. Their children:

1. *Mortimer Bliss*[9], b. New York city, 3 May, 1891.
2. *Arthur Bliss*[9], b. 16 June, 1894.
3. *James Warren*, Jr.[9], b. 5 May, 1898.

III. MABEL FRANCES[8], b. New York city, 19 Mar., 1866.

IV. FLORENCE BROWN[8], b. 3 May, 1869.

V. ELIZABETH ABBOTT[8], b. 5 Apr., 1871.

VI. RICHARD HOOPER[8], b. 6 July, 1875.

97.

EDWARD ERI POOR was born in Boston, Mass., 5 Feb., 1837, and became a member of the firm of Denny, Poor & Co., New York city. He m. 17 Jan., 1860, MARY WELLINGTON LANE[7] (Washington Jefferson[6], Ebenezer[5], Samuel[4], James[3], John[2], Job[1]), she b. West Cambridge, Mass., 19 Dec., 1839.

Their children:

I. EDWARD ERI, b. West Cambridge, 2 Dec., 1861, m. 18 Jan., 1888, SUSAN GRIMES, and had:

1. *Edward Eri*, b. Hackensack, N. J., 7 Nov., 1889.
2. *Mary Grimes*, b. 24 Mar., 1891, d. 17 Aug., 1891.

JAMES WARREN LANE.

II. JAMES HARPER, b. Boston, 17 Dec., 1862, m. 20 Jan., 1885, EVELYN BOLTON, and had:

1. *Evelyn Terry*, b. Garden City, L. I., 22 Oct., 1886.
2. *Mildred*, b. 4 Oct., 1890.

III. CHARLES LANE, b. Hackensack, N. J., 18 Jan., 1866, m. 19 Apr., 1892, ANNA LOUISE EASTON, in New York.

IV. FRANK BALLOU, b. 24 Apr., 1868, m. 9 Apr., 1892, BESSIE FITZ GERALD HAMILTON, in New York.

V. HELEN FRANCES, b. 27 Mar., 1870, m. 11 Aug., 1892, WILLIAM CLARK THOMAS, in Hackensack.

VI. EMILY CLARK, b. 3 Sept., 1873.

VII. HORACE FRANKLIN, b. 12 July, 1878.

98.

REV. JOHN HYRCANUS MELLISH[4] (John[3.2], Samuel[1]), was born in Oxford, Mass., 30 Aug., 1824.

His brother David Batcheller Mellish was a member of the 43rd Congress from New York city and had sons Edward A., druggist, Worcester, Mass., and William C., a lawyer in the same city. His brother George Herbert Mellish, of New York city, was living in 1899.

His father John Mellish, Esq.[3], born Dorchester, Mass., 4 Feb., 1801, d. Auburn, Mass., 4 Sept., 1875, æ. 74 yrs., 7 ms., m. Cyrene, dau. of Peter and Nellie (Parmenter) Smith, she b. Walpole, Mass., 16 Oct., 1800, and d. Southbridge, Mass., 29 Dec., 1867.

His grandfather was John Mellish[2], b. Dorchester, Mass., 12 Dec., 1758, d. 24 June, 1824, a fifer in the army of the Revolution five years, m. Hannah, dau. of William Holden; she b. 12 Feb., 1763, and d. 19 Dec., 1832. He had numerous descendants. A brother was Stephen Mellish. Another brother was Samuel Mellish, deputy sheriff, etc.

His great grandfather was Samuel Mellish[1], b. Boston, Mass., d. Dorchester, Mass., 28 Oct., 1805, æ. 76 years. He was son of

the emigrant from Great Britain, and m. Sarah, dau. of Amos Stetson, of Randolph, Mass., and his wife Margaret Thayer, of Braintree, Mass. She d. in Dorchester, 7 Jan., 1817, æ. 82 years. A house he built in Dorchester was standing in 1899.

Rev. John Hyrcanus Mellish[4], eldest son of John Mellish, Esq., graduated at Amherst College 1851, and at Andover Theological Seminary 1854, was ordained Feb. 14, 1855, pastor of Congregational church, Kingston, N. H., 1855, to June, 1867, acting pastor, Dayville, Conn., Jan., 1868, to April, 1871, North Scituate, R. I., June, 1871, to June, 1880, Tisbury, Mass., 1880, to 1882, Temple, N. H., 1882, to 1885, Auburn, Mass., 1886, to 1887, North Scituate, R. I., 1887, to 1891, Killingly, Conn., without charge, 1892, ——.

He m. 1 Jan., 1856, SARAH ADELINE LANE[7] (David Woodward[6], Samuel[5.4], James[3], John[2], Job[1]), she b. North Brookfield, Mass., 24 Aug., 1828.

Children:

I. FLORENCE[5], b. Kingston, N. H., 5 Dec., 1856, was one year at Mount Holyoke Seminary before the school became a college.

II. BERTHA LANE[5], b. North Scituate, R. I., 1 Jan., 1877, was a member of Mount Holyoke College in her third year at the time of her disappearance, Nov. 18, 1897, and no trace of her has since been found, Feb., 1899.

$500 REWARD.

Bertha Lane Mellish, a student at Mt. Holyoke College, South Hadley, Mass., disappeared from the College on the 18th of November, 1897, and no trace of her has been found since that time.

The following is a description: She is 20 years old, about 5 feet, 5 inches in height, medium build, dark auburn hair, fair complexion, brown eyes, round face, full lips. Sometimes wore her hair parted and sometimes combed straight back. Very small faint scar in the center of forehead.

When last seen wore a black dress, shaggy black jacket, black cloth Tam 'o Shanter. Underclothing was marked "Mellish." She wore a gray flannel skirt.

The above reward will be paid for the girl alive, by Rev. John H. Mellish, at Dayville, Connecticut. In addition to the $50 offered by the Mt. Holyoke College, the family will pay $50 additional for the recovery of the body.

Dayville, Conn., December 10th, 1897.

MORTIMER BLISS LANE.

ARTHUR BLISS LANE.

JAMES WARREN LANE, JR.

99.

JOHN HENRY LANE[7] (David W.[6], Samuel[5.4], James[3], John[2], Job[1]), b. North Brookfield, Mass., 4 Sept., 1846, m. 4 Sept., 1867, ABBIE A. KELLOGG, of North Brookfield, and settled on the homestead in North Brookfield.

Children:

I. ELIZA ABBIE[8], b. 13 Oct., 1868, m. 27 July, 1889, S. K. LIDSTONE, of North Brookfield, optician, Athens, Georgia, 1899. Three children.

II. FREDERICK HENRY[8], b. 19 Aug., 1870, m. 2 June, 1898, LIZZIE H. AMIDON, of North Brookfield.

III. CHARLES SUMNER[8], b. 10 Aug., 1872.

IV. NELLIE MAY[8], b. 9 June, 1875, m. 6 Oct., 1896, FRED G. SMITH, of West Brookfield.

V. DAVID CARL[8], b. 3 July, 1877.

VI. EMMA FLORENCE[8], b. 27 Jan., 1882.

VII. JOHN JONES[8], b. 26 May, 1883.

VIII. EDWARD ALARIC[8], b. 4 Aug., 1885, d. 1 Nov., 1886.

IX. HAROLD ALBERTUS[8], b. 5 Apr., 1888, d. 13 June, 1888.

100.

GEORGE WINCHESTER LANE[8] (Abner B.[7], Eliab B.[6], John[5.4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), was b. in Bedford, Mass., 25 July, 1829. He m. SARAH M. GOODWIN, dau. of Uriah and Nancy (Hook) Goodwin. She was b. 1831, and m. second, 1 Jan., 1873, William A. Lane[7] (Oliver W.[6], Solomon[5], James[4.3], John[2], Job[1]).

Children of George W. and Sarah M. (Goodwin) Lane:

I. HENRY W.[9], b. 17 Jan., 1849.

II. GEORGE E.[9], b. 16 Dec., 1851.

III. CHARLES SUMNER[9], b. 21 Feb., 1857.

IV. DAUGHTER[9], b. 25 Dec., 1858.

V. FREDERIC A.[9], b. 20 Oct., 1860, d. 2 Aug., 1868, æ. 7 yrs., 10 ms.

101.

FREDERICK DOUGLAS LANE[8] (Samuel[7], Francis[6.5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), was b. in Ashburnham, Mass., 4 July, 1849. He attended public school in Ashburnham, entered Appleton Academy, New Ipswich, N. H., Dec. 3, 1871, and graduated June 12, 1874, entered Dartmouth College August, 1874, and graduated June, 1878, taught school in New Ipswich, winter term of 1878-'79, taught Grammar school, Ashburnham Centre, spring and fall of 1879, professor of mathematics and German, Cushing Academy, Ashburnham, since Dec. 3, 1879, continuously. He was a member of the school committee in Ashburnham, 1880 to 1889; clerk of the church and has delivered lectures and preached sermons in Congregational pulpits. He says, "my vocation is teaching, my avocation is writing poetry, preaching occasionally, lecturing sometimes and preparing mathematical works for future publication." He lost valuable manuscripts by the Cushing Academy fire.

Prof. Lane m. in Union City, Pa., 24 Aug., 1887, CORA JEANETTE GILBERT; she b. Ashburnham, 25 Sept., 1865, attended school in Ashburnham, Jamestown, N. Y., Canisteo, N. Y., Keene, N. H., and graduated from Cushing Academy, June, 1885. Mrs. Lane has written quite extensively for several periodicals.

Children:

I. GILBERT FREDERICK[9], b. Union City, Pa., 13 Aug., 1890.

II. SYLVIA MARY LOIS[9], b. Ashburnham, 14 July, 1893.

III. MERTON BURGESS[9], b. 10 Dec., 1894.

102.

JULIUS ARTHUR LANE[8], (John[7.6], Ziba[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), was b. at Lockport, Ill., 6 July, 1848. He made his home in Chicago, Ill., but his business of railroad builder took him to many places in the United States and Central America. He m.

14 Feb., 1873, HELEN DUNCAN SHIPMAN, b. 9 Mar., 1850, dau. of Dr. George E. Shipman, founder Foundling's Home, in Chicago. Parents and children constituted a happy, musical family with instruments of great money value. They form a Presbyterian choir and give concerts and church entertainments with piano, flute, 1st violin, 2d violin, viola, violoncello and cornet.

Nine children:

I. FANNIE BOARDMAN[9], b. 10 Nov., 1873, at Chicago.

II. JOHN HAROLD[9], b. 28 June, 1875, at Hyde Park, Cook Co., Ill.

III. EMMA LILIAN[9], } twins, b. 13 Feb, 1878, at Kenwood, Cook
IV. ROSE HELEN[9], } Co., Ill.

V. JESSIE BARKER[9], b. 19 May, 1879, at Nettleton, Kansas.

VI. GEORGE SHIPMAN[9], b. 27 Jan., 1884, at Boyne Falls, Mich.

VII. MARGARET PAYSON[9], b. 31 Aug., 1885, at Chicago.

VIII. EDITH CORINNE[9], b. 28 Mar., 1889, d. 30 Jan., 1893, at Chicago.

IX. MARION ROGERS[9], b. 31 Aug., 1890, at River Forest, Ill.

103.

JOHN CHAPIN LANE[8] (Jonathan Abbot[7], Jonathan[6].[5], John[4], Job[3], John[2], Job[1]), 1852–'98, was b. Boston, Mass., 8 Nov., 1852, the ninth person in as many successive generations whose name begins with the letter J, and the eldest son of Hon. Jonathan A. Lane whom he greatly resembled in his noble conception of his duties as a public spirited citizen. He married 11 Sept., 1883, HARRIET BREWER WINSLOW; she b. 3 Jan., 1859, dau. George S. Winslow of Norwood, Mass.

Mr. Lane entered the Boston Latin School in 1865, and was graduated in 1871, receiving a Franklin medal. He entered Harvard College in 1871, and graduated with honors in 1875. After graduation he studied law in the office of George W. Morse, Esq., and at the Law School of Boston University, receiving the

degree of LL.B. in 1876. He was admitted to the Suffolk Bar in 1878, and practiced law under the firm of Morse & Lane with offices at 28 State street. In 1879 he removed to Norwood, Mass., where he became influential in the educational, moral and social development of the town. In 1880 he was appointed one of the Trial Justices of Norfolk County, and in the judgment of 1,005 cases distinguished himself for keen, clear-headed, righteous decisions. From 1883, onward, he was associated with many important litigations, being special counsel for several large firms engaged in industry and transportation. As a counsellor and strictly commercial lawyer he stood among the first, and his firm built up a large practice. He was president of the Allen-Lane Company, commission merchants, and director in the woolen mills at Warren and East Wilton, Me., and Manchester, N. H. He was treasurer and director of Newton Street Railroad Co., Jan. 26, 1889; was projector and treasurer of the Norwood Associates for Co-operative Savings, president of the Norwood Board of Trade, vice-president of the Massachusetts Board of Trade, as well as holder and manager of several large trusts.

Judge Lane became a member of Hebron Chapter of Free Masons in 1885, and of the Cyprus Commandery of Knights Templar, located at Hyde Park, Oct. 27, 1887; took the Scottish Rite Degrees at Boston, and became member of Massachusetts Consistory in the spring of 1896, taking the 32d degree, April 24, 1896. He was also a member of Aleppo Temple of the Mystic Shrine at Boston, and of the Loyal Contentment Lodge of Odd Fellows at Norwood.

He was an important factor in the political world, enthusiastic as a Republican up to 1884, afterwards active on the Democratic State Committee till 1895, then manager of the campaign of the Gold Democrats and delegate to the National Convention at Indianapolis, in the summer of 1896. In the fall of 1896, he was chosen vice-president of the Young Men's Democratic Club of Massachusetts, and re-elected in 1897.

He was deeply interested in the public schools of Norwood, and instituted the Norwood medals for merit and good scholarship in 1890, now so eagerly sought by competing pupils. He was a

member of the Norwood Literary Club, and chairman of the School Committee in 1894, and of the Board of Trustees of the Public Library 1893–'98.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane were members of the First Congregational church at Norwood. He was admitted without giving up his membership in the Union church, Boston, with which he had been for a long time connected. He served on the prudential committee of the church, on the committee of the parish and on the music committee in 1897–'98, a tireless worker and inspiring helper in all departments of the church and an endeared Bible class teacher in the Sunday School. He had inherited through a long line of ancestors a tendency to distinguishing public service, and he ranked high in the social, business, benevolent and religious circles with which he was connected.

On Nov. 2, 1898, seemingly in the best of health, he left his home in Norwood to take an early morning train for Boston. Thinking himself late he ran part of the way to the station. He was taken severely ill on the cars, and on arriving in Boston went to his mother's house on Tremont street. He had recovered sufficiently Nov. 15, to be driven to his home in Norwood, and appeared improved by the change. The next day his trouble developing into pericarditis, he failed steadily until on Sunday morning, Nov. 20, 1898, he passed away.

"The best words of formal resolution can but faintly express the sense of loss we feel in the death of our late President John C. Lane.

"If integrity is the best evidence of true manhood, an unwillingness to inflict unnecessary pain the mark of the gentleman, disinterestedness the test of citizenship, and self denial the characteristic of the Christian, surely we may say that John C. Lane was an honest man, a perfect gentleman, a good citizen, and a zealous Christian."—*Norwood Board of Trade.*

104.

REV. SAMUEL LANE LOOMIS[8] (Elihu[7], Aretas[6], Shem[5], Amos[4], Stephen[3], Joseph[2,1]), was b. in Littleton, Mass., 16 Aug.,

1856, A. B., Amherst College, 1877, Yale Theological Seminary 1878, Andover Theological Seminary 1880, ordained Oct. 14, 1880, succeeding his father and grandfather in the Congregational ministry. His first charge was at Newport, Ky., 1880-'85, under the Home Mission Society, where he erected a church free from debt. On leaving Newport, he traveled in Europe two years, 1885-'86. Returning he gave a course of lectures at Andover Seminary, which were afterward published under the title of Modern Cities and Their Religious Problems. This book had a large sale and was used as a text-book in Chicago University and elsewhere. He next became assistant pastor of the Tompkins Avenue church, Brooklyn, N. Y., with Dr. R. R. Meredith, where he worked nearly three years, 1886–'89. He resigned to accept a call to Belleville Avenue church, Newark, N. J., 1890-'96. He was installed pastor of Union church, Boston, Nov. 8, 1896. The sermon at his installation was by Dr. Meredith, a former pastor of the Union church, and the installing prayer was by Rev. Elihu Loomis, the father of the new pastor. He received the degree of D.D. from Amherst College 1899.

Mr. Loomis m. 23 Aug., 1887, MARION CAMP LIPPINCOTT of Lincoln, Neb.

They have son:

I. HENRY SPRAGUE[9], b. 18 June, 1891.

105.

RICHARD LANE[8] (Hiram H.[7], John[6], Gershom F.[5], John[4.3.2], Job[1]), was b. in Wesley Township, Wash. Co., Ohio, 9 June, 1832, m. 18 Apr., 1861, ELIZABETH MILLER; she b. 26 Dec., 1838, in Harrison Co., O.

Their children:

I. MINERVA[9], b. 5 Apr., 1862, m. 29 Apr., 1883, THOMAS I. MERCER, he b. 28 Jan., 1859.

II. ADELLA[9], b. 23 Jan., 1864, d. 9 May, 1895.

III. MARY[9], b. 26 Jan., 1866, m. 15 July, 1893, JOHN COLEMAN, he b. 3 Nov., 1870, and had:

1. *Jesse*, b. 19 Mar., 1894.

IV. HOMER[9], b. 9 Feb., 1872.

V. RALPH[9], b. 27 Sept., 1873.

VI. GEORGE[9], b. 21 June, 1875.

106.

THOMAS BENTON LANE[8] (Hiram H.[7], John[6], Gershom F.[5], John[4.3.2], Job[1]), was b. in Wesley Township, Ohio, 11 Oct., 1844, settled as a merchant at Windsor, O., post office, Stockport, O. He m. at McConnellsville, O., 12 Feb., 1874, LUCIA M. ROLAND, she b. 3 Sept., 1852.

Their children:

I. GERTRUDE M.[9], b. 28 Nov., 1874.

II. HIRAM H.[9], b. 10 Nov., 1877.

III. HELEN E.[9], b. 18 May, 1880, d. 20 June, 1882.

IV. GOLDIE B.[9], b. 31 Oct., 1882.

V. ELSIE D.[9], b. 9 Feb., 1886, d. 26 Aug., 1886.

VI. JESSIE M.[9], b. 9 May, 1888.

VII. MABEL B.[9], b. 22 Jan., 1890.

VIII. RICHARD D.[9], b. 12 Apr., 1892, d. 30 July, 1892.

IX. JESSE B.[9], b. 12 Apr., 1892.

X. DOROTHY M.[9], b. 4 July, 1894.

107.

JOHN WELLINGTON LANE[8], (Oliver J.[7], Oliver W.[6], Solomon[5], James[4.3], John[2], Job[1]), was b. in Bedford, Mass., 2 May, 1854, lived in Fall River, Mass., having possession of his great

grandfather Solomon Lane's Bible and sword, and the flint-lock gun he carried at Concord Fight, and also holding deed of the last ten acres remaining in the Lane family of the original Winthrop-Lane Farm. He m. MARY M. C. MARBLE, of Somerset, Mass.

Six children, all boys:

I. WILLIAM JOSIAH[9], b. 11 May, 1882.

II. JOHN FRANKLIN[9], b. 12 July, 1884, d. 17 Mar., 1890.

III. ONSLOW STEARNS[9], b. 4 Feb., 1887.

IV. HERBERT BILLINGS[9], b. 20 Dec., 1888.

V. SAMUEL MARBLE[9], b. 18 Aug., 1891.

VI. JOHN WELLINGTON, JR.[9], b. 19 Apr., 1893.

PART III.

James Lane of Casco Bay, Me.,

AND DESCENDANTS.

The Rev. James Pillsbury Lane furnished a sketch of "James Lane of North Yarmouth, Me., and His Descendants" for the *New England Historic-Genealogical Register* of April, 1888, vol. 42: pp. 141–152.

1.

JAMES LANE[1], b. in England, son of James Lane, was a craftsman and perhaps member of the guild of turners, London, in 1654. The same year he had joint ownership with his brother, John Lane, in real estate at Rickmansworth, Hertford Co., received from their parents, in which their brother, Job Lane, claimed also a share. James Lane had paid debts on the property, "a good sum," and was reduced in circumstances. Jeremiah Gould wrote to Job Lane from London, June 6, 1654: "You wonder your Brother James should deceive me to make away your estate . . . I find a surrender of premises from both father and mother unto James and John and their heirs forever. . . . Your brother James, he is very poor and I hope very honest."—*Gen. Reg., 1857.*

The brothers, Job, James and Edward Lane, settled in Malden, Mass., about 1656, probably in some sort of partnership, which, however, did not continue long. James Lane soon removed to Casco Bay, Me. Edward Lane was of Boston, Mass., and sold his Malden estate in 1663. Job Lane removed to Billerica, Mass., about 1664.

James Lane seems accounted an inhabitant of Charlestown, Mass., in 1658. In 1660, Nov. 19, then of Malden, he appointed Job Lane his attorney.

"I James Lane, of Malden, Middlesex County, Turner, Have constituted my well beloved brother Job Lane of same Malden, my true and lawful attorney in my name and sted to act etc. Seal and anchor: Witness, Thomas Esdell, Wm. Pearse."

While the deposition of John Lane[2] (James[1]) July 2, 1733, shows that the family "removed from Maulden to a Place since called North Yarmouth, in Casco Bay," the statement that it was "about seventy-five years since," cannot be taken as giving the exact year.

Raleigh Gilbert probably entered the harbor of Casco Bay in 1608. Capt. John Smith anchored here in 1614. Thomas Dermer must have been here in 1619. Christopher Levett was welcomed at the falls of Presumpscot in 1623, by the Sagamore Skatterygusset. This Sachem was chief of the Aucocisco tribe from which comes the name Casco. All the early plantations were called by the general name of Casco Bay. No boundaries were defined and the Indian designations were in use. The ancient places of Maquoit, Harraseeket, Westcustigo, Damaris Cove, Machegonne Neck, Purpooduck and Spurwink became better known as Falmouth in 1658.

Ferdinando Gorges early granted a township extending six miles on Casco Bay east of Westcustigo river. Here William Royall, a cooper and clap-board cleaver, settled as early as 1636, purchased land in 1643, gave his name to the river and ended his days. The municipality of Westcustigo was recognized by Mass. in 1680.

"Fort Royal 22d September 1680.

"For the further enlargement to the settlement of the township, by the governour and company of the Massachusetts Colony, on the easterly side of the West Custigo river on Casco Bay; it is hereby granted unto them, that the waste lands lying between the said grant and Casco shall be added to the township called Damerras Cove. It is also hereby ordered and declared that the name of the plantation shall be North Yarmouth.

Thomas Danforth President."

Here James Lane acquired by purchase and improvement large estates in various situations, and gave his name to a point of land and to an island off the east bank of Royall's river which still bears his name. The Indian headquarters for fishing the streams and coves along shore and island of Casco Bay seem to have been on

Lane's Island. Tradition marks the island as the place where the Indians planted corn, held councils, tortured their captives and buried their dead. As the banks of the island cave away, human bones are exposed to view. From the manner of burial it is supposed that the graves are those of the aborigines.

Court Items: James Lane was a frequent petitioner to the General Court, and his family is mentioned casually four times in Willis' History of Portland. He was living at Falmouth in 1658, and was among the petitioners to be joined to the Massachusetts Bay government. Among eight neighbors he renewed the petition, "April ye 26th (1659?) haueing formerlie presented a petition to this Honourd Court for yor takeing vs vnder yr gouernment Doe by these in ye behalfe of our selues & ye rest of our Neighbours humbly renew our request vnto you."—*Mass. Archives.*

James Lane received a legacy by his uncle John Lane's will dated Aug. 7, 1661. "Item I giue and bequeath vnto James Lane brother to the said Job, Tenn pounds of like good money to be paid to him within Six moneths next after my death by myne Executr."—*Gen. Reg., Oct., 1890.*

In 1665–6 and probably longer, James Lane was "sergeant of ye companye" and William Haynes "clark of ye band." This train-band, the extent of Westcustigo's early martial glory, was a section of the larger military division of Casco with its less than thirty small houses. Sergeant Lane as chief officer would be armed with halberd, sword and pistol.

At a Court in Casco, July 26, 1666, James Lane was surety under a bond of £170, for James Mosier in the settlement of his father, Hugh Mosier's estate, and soon after bought of James and John Mosier, out of the estate, two islands called Great and Little Mosiers.

At the same Court James Robinson, cooper, of Black Point, was indicted, 29 July, 1666, for the murder of Christopher Collins of the same place. The case was committed to James Lane of Westcustigo, with seventeen others, "the jury of Life and Death," who found that "said Collings was slain by misadventure and culpable of his own death." Jurymen were "freemen" with the prerogatives of that title.

The name of James Lane appears in connection with presentments and indictments by the Grand Jury at Casco, 1 Oct., 1667. "We present John Mosier for travelling upon the Sabbath day, fined 5s., officers fees 5s. This 10s. to be forthwith paid; and if afterwards by 2 evidences he can make it out that upon the Sabbath he traveled purposely, as he pretends, to look

after Mr. Lane who that day, as the said Mosier pretended, was in danger of being drowned, then the said Mosier is to have his 10s. returned to him again."

James Lane of Westcustigo with eight neighbors petitioned, Apr. 26, 1668, "ye Honord Generall Court of his maiesties Collonee of ye Massachusetts Bay att Boston" to be taken under the government of Mass. He purchased estate of John Cleaves, May 15, 1673.

"I John Sears (Cleaves) resident in the Province of Mayne in New England, Planter, ffor Twenty pounds current money of New England, have sold unto Mr. James Lane of Westgestuggo, All that Ysland commonly known or called by the name of Reddings Island & being on the Eastern side of Mayre Poynt Necke, togéather with all that Prcell of Land lying & being vpon Mare poynt necke, comonly known by the name of Sandy Poynt . . . together with all Marsh & Marsh grounds formerly in the Right & possession of Thomas Redding deceased being Sixty Acers more or lesse, 15 May, 1673. Acknowledged 21 June, 1673: In presence of us Ezekiel Carveath, John Lane."—*York Co. Records, vol. ii, p. 278.*

He also purchased of John Burrell, May 20, 1673, a second farm of sixty acres lying between Royall's river and Cousin's river.

Boundary: 1690, Dec. 10, Deed. "Joshua Atwater of Boston to Theodosius Moore of the same place, all my lands and house on Westostugo river containing 200 acres bounded east by land of James Lane, west by said river; also 16 acres one mile and a half above my house near James Lane's, being the same land whereon Thomas Redding lived and died."

"Theo. Moore claimes a house and tract of Land lying upon Westcustogo river in Casco Bay containing 2 Hund. acres more or less upland, bounded by the land of James Lane eastward, westward with the same river, North & South with Creeks; together with 16 acres meadow about one Mile & half North-West above my Dwelling house next James Lane's Meadow land, which house, upland and Meadow Thomas Reding of late lived upon & died siezed of in his own right. Bott of Joshua Atwater per Deed. Dated 10 December 1690. Acknowledged Dec. 29 1690."—*Book of Eastern Claims.*

Mr. Lane was witness to transfer of land from Ellner Redding widow of Thomas Redding to James Andrews, March 10, 1673-4. "James Lane his marke L."

He was living at Westcustigo in 1675. The deposition of John Lane, July 2, 1733, says that "he removed with his father James Lane from Maulden to a Place since called North Yarmouth in Casco Bay and there lived till driven from thence by the Indians in the first warr." This "first warr" was King Philip's war of 1675 to 1678. Casco Bay was molested first, in the beginning of September, 1675, when twenty-five harvesters going up the Bay in a sloop and two boats to gather Indian corn were fired upon by Indians but escaped with many wounds and the loss of their freighted boats. Again Sept. 12, 1675, old Mr. Wakely of Casco Bay, his wife, son, daughter-in-law and three grand children were murdered and the house burned. This bloody butchery

was succeeded, Aug. 11, 1676, by the attack on Falmouth in which thirty-four persons were killed or captured, the rest of the inhabitants abandoning the place. Capt. William Hathorne and soldiers never could come up with the Indians and his expedition to Casco Bay was fruitless.—*William Hubbard, 1677.*

Sergeant James Lane disappeared at this time. He was "killed in a fight with the Indians."

Deposition:

"Moses Felt aged about Eighty-Three years, doth Testifie & say that I the Depon^t did Live at North Yarmouth upward of Sixty years agone, and to my certain knowledge Old M^r. James Lane Did then live in an Old Little House on a Tract of Land between Redings Creek & Mossers Farm bounding southerly on the sea, for some years, and then he built a new Large House & Lived in said House untill the Wars brook out, then M^r. Lane was killed & his Family was driven off of said Farm, & when the Wars were over again, Said James Lanes Son went to the said Farm again & did build a new End to s^d House & repaired the other Building, & did Live there until the Wars brook out again, and I the Depon^t. and one of my Brothers did Saw the Jice and Timber for M^r. James Lane, and said Farm was known and called by the Name of Lane's and Wilkinson's Farm and by no other, but never knew that M^r. Roiall or his sons had any Claim unto S^d Land. And Further I the Depon^t. have heard old M^r. Roiall say he had Sold all his Land on the East Side of Reding's creek to James Lane and John Wilkinson.

his
MOSES ∩ FELT.
mark.

Essex ss. Lyn Apr 3^d 1731.

Then Moses Felt made Oath to the truth of the above written Euidence to which he has put his mark & the same is taken to be in *in perpetuam rei memoriam.*

Cap. Com.

BENJ. LYNDE.
BENJ. LYNDE JR.
Justice Peace. Quom.

A true copy of the Original Rec'd under Seal June 11, 1747.

Att. DAL. MOULTON
Reg^r."

"James Lanes Inven^ty 1680.
18, 6, 81.

Adm	1—0
Copie	0—6
Inven	1—0
fil a ...	1—0
	0—3—6

money exd.

5, 2, 82 by Hen. K—ing
to mem 0—3—0

"The invetary, a bed and bed close 3 pound 15 sg and 8: shets 20 shilling, 8 sshillings, cotten cloth 17, a bed of serge 12 shillings, irish cloth 4 shillings, cloth 4 shillings, irise cloth 7 shillings, pece of homspun cloth 8 shilling, a bed blanket 4 shillings, lincewulse 34 shillings, puter 14 shillings, 2 shillings, a porridge pote 10 shillings, 3 chests at 5 shillings, 3 bras cetles at 20 shillings, a pare of tongs and pot hooks 1 shilling, a box of good 6 ppounds, a bed a rudg and a blanket bilddrecy, wee can not com at it to prise it: a chest of goods and rittings and some other goods in John Lanes hands and wee cant get them to prise them, the goods at bostownd 4 pound, the bed in . . . hand appra . . at 2l 10s d.

ABRAM A METYN
mark.

18, 6, 1680 Taken upon oath

Before A. D. Rdr."

"Coppie of James Lanes Inventy

"An Inventory of the estate of Jeames Lane Deceased of the Town of Casco Bay.

One Bed & Bed cloths	03—15—00
one bed tick	00—18—08
Sheets	01—00—00
Table Linen	00—08—00
Cotton cloth	00—17—00
a piece of serge	00—12—00
Irish cloth	00—04—00
more Irish cloth	00—04—00
more Irish cloth	00—07—00
Home spun cloth	00—08—00
Bed Blanket	00—04—00
Linsey woolsey	01—14—00
puter	00—14—00
Blanket	00—02—00
one porridge pott	00—10—00
3 Chests	00—05—00
3 brass Kettles	01—00—00
a pr of Tongs & pot hooks	00—02—00
one Box of Goods	06—00—00
Goods at Boston	04—00—00
	23—04—08

one Bed & Rug & Blanket at his Daughters house in Bilrica we canot come at at present at the . . . 2—10—0

one Chest of Goods in John Lanes Hands but we canot get them at present to prise them.

JOB LANE and
DANIEL SEVER

They was desired to prise a bed sumthing better than half full of feathers a old bed ticking with peag . . . prised 1—0—11 shilling in money.

witness our hands

JOB LAINE
DANNELL SHEVER"

James Lane is supposed to have had a wife ANN ——, and certainly had a daughter by this name. He m. SARAH WHITE, daughter of John White and his wife Mary, who was the widow of James Phips. The mother Mary was mother of twenty-six children, and the daughter Sarah was half-sister of Sir William Phipps, the royal governor of Mass.

James Lane died intestate leaving six children who shared his estate:

I. ANN[2], lived as the wife of JOHN, son of Richard BRAY, and had:

1. *Daughter.*

"John Bray received from his father Richard Bray of Westcustigo, Dec. 24, 1669, deed of half the land bought of John Cossons."—*York Co. Deeds.*

Richard Bray and son John Bray were living in Casco Bay out of the limits of Falmouth in 1675.—*William Willis.*

Ann, daughter to James Lane, is named in the deposition of Nicholas Cole, Dec. 23, 1678, and her house at Billerica, Mass., is mentioned in the inventory of her father's goods, 1680.

Deposition:

"Nicholas Coole aged fiuety two years or y^r abouts Ellner Redding aged fiuety fiue years or y^r abouts, testifyeth & sayth y^t John Bray sonn to Richd Bray & Rebecca of Cascoe Bay in the Province of Mayn in New England, was neuer Legally married to Ann Lane daughter to James Lane with the Consent of his father & mother, nor married by any Majestrate 'Just^s of peace' Commision^r, nor by any Minister, nor by any man Impourd or authorized by any authority, nor by any Act done by the Inhabitants y^t liued there or else w^r, but the s^d John Bray lived with the abous^d Ann Lane, by whom hee had a daughter wch we Judg was not according to Law or Justice, and further sayth not.

The Deponents further sayth that ye abouesd John Bray was never published to ye abouesd Ann Lane according to any law, & further sayth not.

All this to be vnderstood According to or knowledg who liued long by them & know how they came to liue as man & wife togeather.

Richard Bray also deposeth yt hee neur gaue Consent yt his sonn Bray should Marry with ye sayd Ann Lane.

Taken vpon oath this 23th of Decembr '78, before mee

SYMON BRADSTREETE, Depu. Gour.

A true Coppy transcribed & with originall Compared this 21: December 1680.

Pr EDW. RISHWORTH
Re. Cor."

—*York Co. Deeds.*

2. II. JOHN[2], b. 1652, m. DORCAS WALLIS.

3. III. SAMUEL[2], had wife ABIGAIL.

IV. HENRY[2], testified respecting Indian molestation, July 28, 1688, in the case: Falmouth against John Royal. See Samuel Lane[2] (James[1]). Henry Lane died at Boston, 4 June, 1690.

4. V. JOB[2], m. MARY FASSETT.

VI. JAMES[2], deed of land from Richard Bray to his son John Bray, Dec. 24, 1669, was witnessed by "James Layne Jujor" who also was present when the deed was proved Aug. 25, 1679.

2.

JOHN LANE[2] (James[1]), 1652–1738.

Machigonne, now Portland, Me., was settled first by George Cleaves and Richard Tucker, Mrs. Cleaves and daughter and a servant, in 1633. The settlement was entirely destroyed by the Indians in 1676, resettled under President Danforth in 1680, and again destroyed by French and Indians in 1690.

John Lane testified, July 2, 1733, that "Fifty-two or three years since he went to live at Falmouth in Casco Bay and there lived till he removed from thence in the 2d Indian War."—*Deposition.*

Other records show him at Cape Elizabeth under President

Thomas Danforth in 1680. Here he married DORCAS WALLIS[3], daughter of John[2] and Mary (Shepard) Wallis.

Nathaniel Wallis[1] was born in 1632, a native of Cornwall Co., England. With his son John Wallis he was among the twenty-nine inhabitants of Black Point and Casco, who, July 13, 1658, signed to be joined to Mass. Bay.

John Wallis[2] had bought his property at Cape Elizabeth in 1667. Record: "Nicho. White sold to John Wallis a plantation at a place comonly called or known by the name of Papoding in Casco Bay, 25 Nov., 1667, for 24 pounds sterling." In the Indian attack upon Casco Bay, Aug. 11, 1675, "Gm Wallis his dwelling & none besides his is burnt; there are of men slain 11, of women & children 23 killed & taken."—*Thaddeus Clark, 14, 6, '76.*

Driven away by the Indians in 1675, Goodman John Wallis returned to Falmouth where he was Selectman in 1681. Compelled to flee in the second Indian attack, he died at Gloucester, Mass., 23 Sept., 1690. Inventory of his estate, Jan. 29, 1691.

John Lane was living near his father-in-law John Wallis at Purpooduck Point in 1687, and May 26, 1689. King William's war, "the second Indian War" of John Lane's deposition, broke out in 1686.

The Indians alleged grievances of their own. They began reprisals at North Yarmouth by killing cattle and in a few instances persons. Samuel and Henry Lane (see Samuel[2] (James[1]) No. 3), testify to being molested in their house July 26, 1688. Justice Benjamin Blackman ordered sixteen Indians to be seized and kept under guard at Casco, but others continued to rob and capture the inhabitants. In September, 1689, seven hundred French and Indians attacked the fort at Casco which was successfully defended by Col. Benjamin Church and his forces, and probably saved the Maine settlement from absolute ruin. On May 17, the following year, 1690, an expedition from Quebec dismantled three forts at Falmouth, killed and captured one hundred inhabitants and destroyed the town, The slain had no funeral ceremonies and were left unburied until the next year. After the destruction of Falmouth the eastern plantations were deserted. Maine, a second time, was nearly abandoned of English settlements. The fugitives took refuge first on Jewell's, then on Richmond's island to await earliest transportation, some for Pascataqua, some for Boston and some for Salem.. From Casco Bay to Pemaquid not one English plantation remained.

The families of John Wallis and John Lane of Cape Elizabeth and of Samuel Lane of North Yarmouth are found soon at Gloucester, Mass. Here the Lane family gave the name of Lanesville to a village of the town.

John Lane of Ipswich, Mass., Feb. 14, 1694–5, paid 180 pounds current silver money for one acre and a half of land with buildings thereon, to Shoreborn Wilson whose wife Abigail relinquished right of dower; witnessed Mar. 28, 1695. He sold land in Falmouth, Me., to John Arnold, Feb. 11, 1700. He bought land in Gloucester of Nathaniel Day and others, Oct. 5, 1700. He received several grants of land in Gloucester—"swamp land up in the woods with consent of neighbors," in 1701; a common right, Mar. 3, 1701–2; ten acres at Flatstone cove in 1704, where he built his house and to which his own name was subsequently given; and land at Plum cove near his house in 1726. In 1713 he was paid 1£, 10s, for killing "a grown wolve."

John Lane also possessed large estates in Maine by inheritance and by purchase. The possessions of his father James Lane at Westcustigo, were mentioned in the boundaries of other lands, Apr. 12, 1680. Molested by the Indians, July 26 and Sept. 13, 1688, they were again mentioned, Dec. 10, 1690. In Jan., 1714–15, John Lane presented claims in his father's name to six several propertys at North Yarmouth and also claimed in his own right fifty or sixty acres at Pond cove, Cape Elizabeth. When in May, 1722, Massachusetts renewed the corporation of North Yarmouth, and when the meetings of proprietors and assignees were transfered from Boston to North Yarmouth, May 16, 1727, the claim of the Lane family as being among the few original proprietors, was still duly recognized.—*Sullivan's History of the District of Maine, 1795.*

John and Dorcas Lane shared in the division of the Wallis estate at Falmouth, Feb. 19, 1723. Calling himself then of Boston, John Lane conveyed, Mar. 20, 1727, all right, inherited from his mother Sarah (White) Lane, dau. of John White, at Nequasset in Kennebec, purchased by John White and James Phips about 1640, from Edward Bateman, who with John Brown had bought the land from Robin Hood, the Indian chief.

Deed, 1730, June 26. "John Lane son of James Lane, of Gloucester, to Samuel Wait, Joseph Lampson & Josiah Nichols of Malden, a tract of land in North Yarmouth, bounded east by Capt. Thomas' farm, south by the sea, west by Redding's Creek & to head of said creek.

Also, second, a neck of salt marsh on Cousin's River; also first neck on South side of said river; also Lane's Island 30 acres more or less, and first bounded premises more or less.

Also another tract in two parts, containing an island called Arnold's or Moshier's Island.

Also a neck on Chusquiash River, 3 acres more or less.

Also a tract on north side of Saunders Creek and northwest by Cousins' River, alias Little River, and running up northerly to creek joining Henry Daniel's land, 60 acres more or less.

Also tract called Redding Island on east of Mare Point Neck, together with land on said Neck formerly owned by Nicholas White, called Sandy Point, and running from thence to the falls & sooner to Mecoit Bay formerly belonging to Thomas Redding containing 60 acres."

Again 1732, Nov. 26, Aaron Cleveland of Charlestown, Samuel Newhall, Joseph Lamson and Josiah Nichols all of Malden, sold their "right of inheritance to land owned by John Lane late of Casco Bay."—*York Co. Deeds.*

In consequence of the loss of deeds and evidences of titles by the various inroads of the Indians, great confusion was brought upon the titles to lands in Maine. To remedy in a measure this evil, the General Court in 1700, appointed a commission consisting of seven members to examine claims of persons to lands in the Province. John Lane was accounted among the old Planters of Westcustigo. Briefs of his Eastern claims, his share in the division of the Wallis estate and his five Depositions are here presented.

BOOK OF EASTERN CLAIMS.

From a copy in the Willis Manuscripts.

Extract: "Jany, 1714-5, John Lane of Gloucester, Claims in right of his father James Lane, in North Yarmouth, viz., 60 acres of land bounded Northwest of Little river and so running up Northerly to a Creek joining to Henry Daniel's Possession as pr deed from John Burrell dated 20th May, 1673, neither acknowledged nor Recorded.

Also Claims his father's Possession in sd Town, bounded pr Royall's river, as appears by a torn & defaced deed and by the Testimony of John Cousins Taken before Edward Rishworth, Just. Peace.

John Lane also Claims another Parcell of land being an Island Commonly called Redings Island, being on the Eastward side of Mare Point Neck, together with all the Parcell of Land being upon Mare Point neck, bounded with the Land formerly in the Possession of Nicholas White, Commonly known by the name of Sandy Point, together with all ye Marsh and Marsh Grounds formerly in ye Possession of Thomas Reding, being 60 acres more or Less, as pr deed from John Cleaves dated 15 May, 1673. Acknowledged & Recorded.

Item, another Island known by the name of Arnold's Island or Moser's Island, with a neck of Marsh Ground Containing 3 or four acres, lying up the river called the Little river as pr Deed by James Mosser and John Mosier, Dated 28, Decr. 1666, neither Acknowledged nor Recorded.

Item, sd John Lane Claims in his own right a grant of a parcell of land from the sd Town of Falmouth,—Contains fifty or Sixty acres lying on the North Side of Pond Cove and that he did Quietly Possess and Improve sd lands Several years, pr. the Testimony of Josiah Wallis taken before John Newman, Just. Peace.

John Lane pr John Brown brings a deed belonging to John Brown of Gloucester, fifty acres of upland & Marsh ground lying in . . . . of Falmouth, bounded South Easterly by the river, Northerly by land of Richard Martain,

westerly by Nathaniel Wallis and his son John Wallis as pr deed from Thomas Blashfield, March, 1681, Acknowledged."

THE WALLIS PARTITION.

"Josiah and James Wallis, John & Dorcas Lane all of Gloster, & Joseph & Benjamin & Susannah Wallis & Joshua Woodbury who hath bought the right of Rebecca Wallis now wife of Joseph Foster, all of Beverly, Co. of Essex, agree to divide our Father John Wallis his Estate of Lands in Falmouth in Casco Bay:

Three or four acres in Papoduk Point shall be for the equall use & benefit of us all; also House Island in the same manner."

Certain lands were divided into 7 lots: "And the 6th Lott to John & Dorcas Lane & their Heirs forever, bounded on the westerly side with a Rock & Stones upon it by the Highway butting up to the Land of Joel Mattofen."

Other lands also were divided into 7 lots: "Assigning the 7th lot to John & Dorcas Lane." Feb. 19, 1723.—*York Co. Records.*

"John Lane of Boston, cordwainer, for 20 pounds by Jeremiah Green of Boston, sold him 1-3 of all claim which I the sd John Lane or my heirs ever had to right of my mother Sarah Lane decd. who was daughter of John White, of land situate in Kenebeck River within the Co. of York at a place called Nequasset, which land John White and James Phipps purchased of one Edward Bateman, upon part of which sd John White lived & dyed, 20 Mar. 1727. Acknowledged, Nov. 30, 1728."

A like deed of the same property was made by John Lane the same day to Thomas Foster of Boston. Signed, Mar. 20, 1727. Acknowledged, Nov. 30, 1728.—*York Co. Records.*

DEPOSITIONS.

1st. "The Deposition of John Lane aged about Seventy years, testifieth & saith That Thomas Reding formerly of Falmouth in Casco Bay deceased, carried on & was the reputed Owner of a certain Tract of Land lying to the Westward of a Creek called Redings Creek, as also of a certain Salt Marsh lying up Cozens his River so called, & lived on said land many years & died seized thereof more than fifty years past, & was ever since known & called by the Name of Redings Island. Further saith not.

JOHN LANE.

Essex ss. Glouster Augt. 25, 1727.

Then the within mentioned John Lane personally appeared & made oath to the Truth of this Evidence.

Before us

JOHN APPLETON, J. P.
EPES SARGENT, Just Peace.

Quorum.

Sept. 6, 1727."

2d. "Gloucester Octr. 21, 1730. The Deposition of John Lane aged Seventy Eight years who testifieth & says that he well remembers That Mr. John Cussons possessed a Neck of Land in Casco Bay lying between a Creek called Reddings Creek & Royals River, & that He the sd Cossens had a House & Barn upon sd Neck of Land for Sixteen or Eighteen years wch he peaceably enjoyed until he was driven off by the Indians which is above Fifty years ago that sd Cossens was driven off sd Land.

And he the sd Deponent well remembers that his Father mowed Hay upon the sd Farm in the Right of the sd Cossens being meadow near the Creek belonging to sd Farm; and the sd Cossens claimed & enjoyed an Island in the sd Bay called Cossens Island peaceably all the Time he lived at Casco Bay which was as was sd before, about Sixteen or Eighteen years. Excepting one Half of sd Island wch I heard he had sould to one Richard Bray.

JOHN LANE.

Essex, ss. Gloucester, Oct. 21, 1730.

Then John Lane personally appeared & was examined & Sworn to the Truth of this Evidence. *In Perpetuum Rei Memoriam.*

Before JOHN APPLETON, J. P.
DANL. APPLETON, J. P. Quor.

A true Copy of ye Origl. Recd under Seal. Novr. 24, 1730.

Attest JOS MOODY Regr."

3d. "The Deposition of John Lane aged Seventy 7 or Eight & Nathaniel Wharf aged near Seventy Years Testifie & Say that Saml York had a Lott of Land near mussle cove in Casco Bay & had a House & possessed it by virtue of a Town Grant more than Fifty years ago, sd Lots according to our Recolection were called Fifty acre Lots.

JOHN LANE.
NATHANIEL WHARFE his mark, W.

Glocester, Octbr. 21, 1730."

4th. "The Deposition of John Lane of Gloucester aged about Eighty-two years, Testifieth and saith That about Seventy-five years since he removed with his father James Lane from Maulden to a Place since called North Yarmouth in Casco Bay and there lived till driven from thence by the Indians in the first warr; and that he was acquainted with John Couzens and Richard Bray who were settlers there all the time above mentioned, and well remembers that said Bray and Cousins possessed two certain Islands called Cousins's Islands, by building Houses, cutting Timber and improveing Land from the time he first went there above mentioned, till drove from thence by the Indians in the first war, and that the said Islands at that time were accounted said Bray and Cousins Islands; one of the said Islands being the greatest Island lyes about one half mile from the neck of Land on which John Maine & John Holman formarly lived at the nearest place, and the other Island being

the lesser Island lyes about fourty or fifty Rodds from the great Island and on the South East side.

Fifty two or three years since he went to live at Falmouth in Casco Bay and there lived till he removed from thence in the 2nd Indian War, etc. etc. 2 July 1733."

5th. "The Deposition of John Lane of Gloucester, aged about eighty and three years, testifieth and saith that he lived at a place since called Northyarmouth in Casco Bay, sixteen or eighteen years before the first Indian war, and was well acquainted with Mr. John Couzens of that Place and well Remembers said John Couzens possessing a certain Neck of land and Marsh lying in a fork of Couzens River so called and between the East and West Branches thereof, about a mile up said River, and that he the sd Couzens had a House and Barn on sd neck of Land. This Deponent doth testify that his father did Mow Grass in sd marsh in Right of sd Couzens, and the sd Couzens lived in Quiet possession of the above neck of Land and marsh for sixteen or eighteen years untill he was Driven off by the Indians which is now near sixty years agoe, 30 April 1734."—*York Co. Records.*

The First Church in Gloucester was gathered by Rev. Richard Blynnman in 1642. The Second Parish was incorporated at West Gloucester, June 12, 1716. The Third Parish was incorporated at Annisquam Harbor in 1728. The Fourth Parish was incorporated in 1742. The Fifth or Sandy Bay Parish, now Rockport, was incorporated in 1754, and the First Church was organized Feb. 13, 1755.

John Lane was connected with the First Church at Gloucester before 1703, and was also an original member of the Third Church, Annisquam, at its organization in 1728. He died 24 Jan., 1737–8, æ. 86 years. Dorcas (Wallis) Lane was admitted to the church Jan. 14, 1730, and died 2 Feb., 1754, in her 93d year. Their remains rest in the Lanesville burying ground.

Administration on the estate of John Lane was granted to his eldest son, Dea. James Lane of Gloucester, Mar. 29, 1738. The estate was appraised Apr. 7, 1738; inventory returned Apr. 11, 1738, amount £978. 8. 2, debts £143. 12. 2. Mention was made of dwelling house and barn, thirty acres of homestead, beside orchard-pasture-herbage-swamp-and wood-lands, "one-fourth part of an acre of Land for a burying place Forever, ye brook as a common priviledge of a Watring place for Cattle to all ye heirs of ye sd Jno. Lane Decd.," Flake yard, cattle, bills of credit, copper-and silver-money, iron-brass-and glass-ware, sword and cutlass. The committee to set off dower and to apportion the estate made report, Feb. 22, 1738–9. The

division was ordered, Apr. 9, 1739: dower to Dorcas Lane, "Widow and Relict of John Lane," and shares to James Lane, to the representatives of John Lane dec'd, to Josiah Lane, to Joseph Lane, to Benjamin Lane, to Job Lane, to William Tucker in right of his wife Dorcas, to the representatives of Sarah Lane alias Riggs, to Caleb Woodbury in right of his wife, to Joseph Thurston in right of his wife Mary. The several heirs gave receipts to the administrator for their respective shares, 1739–1743.

Copy: "Recvd this 11th of May 1741 of Dean James Lane admr. to ye Estate of John Lane Late of Gloucester Decd. the sum of two hundred seventy Eight Pounds five Shillings and five pence in full for my Third in the Personal Estate Left at the Decease of my Husband the sd John Lane as Settled pr the Honbl Judge of Probate for ye County of Essex,

Recvd pr me

her
DORCAS D LANE.
mark

Testes. Benja Bradstreet."

Children: Five born at Cape Elizabeth, and six at Gloucester; nine were baptized at the First church in Gloucester before 1703, by Rev. John White.

5. I. JAMES[3], b. 1682, m. RUTH RIGGS and JUDITH WOODBURY.

6. II. JOHN[3], b. 1688, m. MARY RIGGS.

III. JOSIAH[3], m. 15 Jan., 1713, by Rev. John White, RACHEL YORK. Her father Samuel York had come to Gloucester from Falmouth on the second destruction of that town by the Indians. Josiah Lane was one of three Gloucester fishermen captured by the Indians in the harbor of Owl's Head, Cape Sable, June 2, 1713.

Deposition: "Then James Davis and Josiah Lane went to set said Indian on shore and to bring off the Englishman [John Sadler], and as soon as they came to the shore, the Indian went out of the canoe; and, as the said Josiah Lane tells me, they went to set the canoe off, but the Indians laid hold of the painter to stop them, and the other two Indians came and laid hold of the painter also, and they hauled the canoe upon shore. With that two of the Englishmen, as namely, James Davis and Josiah Lane, skipt out of the canoe into the water to swim on board. But one of the Indians came into the water and caught said James Davis immediately and brought him on shore; and the other two Indians went with the canoe after Josiah Lane, and when they came up with him one of the Indians took his hatchet and seemed as if he was going to strike at him but did not, but took hold of him and hauled him on shore; and when they came on shore there were several more Indians that

were come out of the bushes with their guns, and when they had got the said three Englishmen together they set them down, as said Josiah Lane informed me, and said they would carry them to Port Royal."—*Richard Yorke, June 22, 1713.*

Josiah Lane bought land of Edward Harraden, July 20, 1716, and seven other purchases appear to be by him from 1729 to 1738. He and wife Rachel were admitted to the church at Annisquam Mar. 8, 1728. He d. 23 Nov., 1747, æ. 58 yrs. His widow d. 3 Oct., 1774, æ. 84 yrs., "falling from her chair, she was taken up dead." No children.

The will of Josiah Lane of Gloucester, shoemaker, dated Dec. 3, 1746, and presented for probate Feb. 2, 1747-8, bequeathed property to his wife Rachel Lane and to his nephew, "beloved friend and kinsman," Ambrose Finson, "to be Equally Divided by and Between them, Whither It be In Vessels, household goods, money, stock, Negroes or anything whatsoever." The inventory taken June 23, 1748, and returned June 27, 1748, included dwelling house, barn, land, flats in Lobster cove, one third of fish-house and wharf in Flatstone cove, one fourth part schooner Endeavor, fishing boat with a canoe, husbandry and carpenter's tools, a Negro man, £70, a Negro woman, £55, a pew in the meeting house with two chairs, clock, iron- brass- pewter- tin- earthen and glass-ware, books, small arms and cutlass, silver and paper-money in the house.

Administration on the estate of Rachel Lane was granted to Ambrose Finson 8 Nov., 1774.

IV. DORCAS[3], pub. 13 Dec., 1712, and m. 8 Jan., 1713, WILLIAM TUCKER; he b. 11 May, 1690, son of John and Sarah (Riggs) Tucker, Gloucester. Granted in June, 1707, "to Sarah Tucker the wife of John Tucker and for her heirs lawfully borne of her owne body, about ten acres of ground above the head of Goose Cove." William and Dorcas Tucker receipted in full to Dea. James Lane, for their interest in the personal and the real estate of her father, John Lane, 21 Jan., 1740, and 7 May, 1742. Children:

1. *Dorcas*, d. in infancy.
2. *Abigail*, d.
3. *Abigail.*
4. *William*, b. 22 May, 1721, m. 18 Oct., 1742, *Patience Riggs.*
5. *John*, b. 30 Jan., 1725, m. Nov., 1746, *Mary Davis.*

V. SARAH[3], m. 17 Dec., 1713, THOMAS RIGGS[3], b. 16 Jan., 1690, son of Thomas[2] and Ann (Wheeler), Thomas[1] and Mary (Millet).

She d. 18 Nov., 1715, and he m. again SARAH HUNT of Ipswich, and d. before 1740. His children were:

1. *Sarah.* 2. *Hannah.* 3. *Thomas*, d. in infancy. 4. *James.*

The representatives of Sarah (Lane) Riggs were apportioned an interest in the real estate of their grandfather, John Lane, 22 Feb., 1738-9, and gave receipt for the same to Dea. James Lane by Daniel Griffin, their guardian, 3 Sept., 1739.

VI. HEPHZIBAH[3], b. Gloucester, 20 July, 1694, m. 27 Nov., 1718, CALEB WOODBURY, son of William, and d. 12 Feb., 1732. They resided near his father at Gallop's Folly, Gloucester. He, as guardian to the children, receipted for their interest in the real and the personal estate of their grandfather, John Lane, 7 Nov., 1739, and 6 May, 1740. She d. 12 Feb., 1732. He m. second, 14 Sept., 1732, ABIAL MORGAN; m. third, 14 Aug., 1738, ANNA THOMAS. Children of Caleb and Hephzibah (Lane) Woodbury:

1. *William*, b. 19 Feb., 1721.
2. *Hannah*, b. 24 Feb., 1723.
3. *Rebecca*, b. 18 Sept., 1726, d. 2 Sept., 1743, æ. 17 yrs.
4. *Caleb*, b. 20 Mar., 1728, m. 22 Nov., 1748, *Lois Merchant.*
5. *Andrew*, b. 20 Mar., 1730.
6. *Peter*, twin, b. 20 Mar., 1730.
7. *Rachel*, b. 13 Jan., 1732.

VII. MARY[3], b. 8 Aug., 1696, pub. 7 Nov., 1716, m. first, by Rev. John White, 6 Dec., 1716, THOMAS FINSON, who was killed by the Indians at Fox Island, June 24, 1724. Administration on his estate was granted to Mary Finson, who returned inventory 12 Oct., 1724. Dea. James Lane purchased the Finson dwelling house and land, and was appointed guardian to children Mary and Thomas Finson. Josiah Lane was appointed guardian to son Ambrose Finson, a minor upwards of fourteen, 25 Apr., 1737. Mary (Lane) Finson m. second, 9 Mar., 1725, JOSEPH THURSTON, and gave receipt to James Lane for her interest in the estate of her father, John Lane, Sept. 1, 1740. Mary and Thomas Finson, as they became of age, Nov. 29, 1736, and Sept. 11, 1741, gave receipt to James Lane for their share in the estate of their father, Thomas Finson. The Finson children receipted to James Lane, administrator, for their interest in the estate of their grandfather, John Lane—Ambrose Finson, by his guardian, Josiah Lane, Oct.

15, 1737; Mary Finson, now Davis, Mar. 23, 1742-3, and Thomas Finson Mar. 23, 1742-3. Mary (Lane-Finson) Thurston d. in 1792, æ. 96 yrs. Children of Thomas and Mary (Lane) Finson:

1. *Mary*, b. 23 July, 1718, m. before 23 Mar., 1742-3, Mr. *Davis*.
2. *Thomas*, b. 16 July, 1720, had wife *Sarah Thurston*, lived at Sandy Bay in 1754, and was drowned at Plum Cove 13 May, 1762.
3. *Ambrose*, bap. 7 Apr., 1723, d. 1 Feb., 1806, æ. "upward of eighty."
4. *Elizabeth*, b. 1 Feb., 1725.

Mary (Lane) Finson m. second, by Rev. John White, 9 Mar., 1725, Joseph Thurston[3], (Joseph[2], Daniel[1]), res. Pigeon Cove and Sandy Bay, where he d. 29 May, 1780. Children:

5. *Sarah*, b. 2 Dec., 1726, m. *Thomas Finson* and d. 1795.
6. *Joseph*, b. 15 Feb., 1729, m. *Agnes Davis*, lived in Rockport and had nine children.
7. *Elizabeth*, b. 8 Nov., 1731, m. *Henry Clark*.
8. *Daniel*, b. 16 Feb., 1735, m. *Anna Tarr* and *Bethia Adams* and had seven children.
9. *John*, b. 30 June, 1737, m. *Eunice Stockbridge* and had nine children.
10. *Dorcas*, b. 22 Jan., 1740, m. *Thomas Roberts* and d. 28 Apr., 1825.
11. *William*, b. 27 Nov., 1742, m. *Martha Pool*, and was lost at sea in 1779. Six children.
12. *Polly*, m. *William Cook*.
13. *Anna*, m. *William Lowe*, lived in Rockport and had seven children.
14. *Esther*, b. Dec., 1764, m. *Nathaniel Tarr* of Rockport, and d. 24 May, 1829. Seven children.

7. VIII. JOSEPH[3], b. 15 Oct., 1698, m. DEBORAH HARRADEN.

8. IX. BENJAMIN[3], b. 25 July, 1700, m. ELIZABETH GRIFFIN.

X. DEBORAH[3], b. 19 Feb. and bap. 9 May, 1703, by Rev. John White; d. 9 May, 1729, in her 27th year.

9. XI. JOB[3], b. 8 Feb. and bap. 22 July, 1705, by Rev. John White; m. MARY ASHBY.

3.

SAMUEL LANE[2] (James[1]), 1660–1724. A garrison was built at Royall's river, North Yarmouth, Me., in 1685, for the accommodation and defense of Samuel Lane, son of James Lane, and his neighbors. In the "second Indian war," with molestation at their house July 26, 1688, and attack on Lane's Island Sept. 13, 1688, the Lane family was driven away and soon joined their friends at Gloucester, Mass.

Case: "Falmouth, Province of Maine, July 27, 1688, against John Riall of North Yarmouth. Upon grate causes of Suspicion that he have and doe presume to trade with the Indians, a warrent was Ishued ought for the sd Jno Riall to appear before Lifft Conell Tyng, one of the Council, to Answer on his Oath in that Case; & also for Refusing to assist the Constable in the securing of an Indian called Joseph that had made an attack of and abuse unto Henry & Sam Lane.

John Rial was committed to the Constable of North Yarmouth to be transported to Boston to appear before his Excellency the Governour. Edward Tyng one of the Council."

Testimony: Falmouth, Province of Maine, July 28, 1688. "Samuel & Henry Lane testifieth to being within their house at North Yarmouth upon the 26th of July. Towards night there came an Indian man and a Squaw desired that they might sleepe there that night which was granted. The next morning the two Indians went to the water-side and called to some more who had layn on an island and five other Indians came to Lane's house and asked for fire, which being given them they made a small fire near the house. The Lanes fearing the fire might doe damage took the fire away from the Indians and carried it to the water-side and told the Indians to make a fire there and not endanger their house. Then the Indian Joseph fell upon Sam Lane and the said Sam Lane endeavored to defend himself. The Indian Joseph threatened to kill the Lanes' hoggs and did Runne after the hogs with a hatchet. After the Lanes drove off the Indians they immediately complained of them to the Constable."—*York County Records.*

James Sullivan gives the following account of the Indian attack Sept. 13, 1688:

"That night the Indians went on to an island called 'Lanes Island' where they butchered the unfortunate victims who fell into their hands in the morning, together with another captive whom they had previously taken farther east, in a most savage and cruel manner. Their bodies were found by some of the garrison and buried on the main. Soon after this the garrison removed to Jewel's Island, one of the most distant from the main land in Casco Bay, and built a fort there to secure themselves till they could return to Massachusetts. Not long after the building of the fort, it was attacked by a large party of Indians from the main; but was resolutely defended until many of the Indians being killed, the others thought proper to leave the island. A vessel soon after took the inhabitants off the island and conveyed them to Boston, in which and its neighborhood they disposed themselves. And thus the settlement of North Yarmouth was entirely broken up at this time."—*Hist. Dist. of Maine, 1795.*

Samuel Lane was a blacksmith by trade. He was of Salem, Mass., June 6, 1696, when he paid 25 pounds to Samuel Sibley of Salem, cooper, his wife Mary consenting, for "dwelling house, barns and orchards with four acres of

land," the deed witnessed June 25, 1696. He soon fixed his residence near his brother, John Lane, at Flatstone Cove, Gloucester, Mass. He received a grant of land from Gloucester in 1708; bought lands in Gloucester of Nathaniel Sargent Mar. 2, 1714, and of Timothy Somers Mar. 2, 1714; sold land to Samuel Lane, Jr., Jan. 19, 1724.

The church in Annisquam Parish, Gloucester, Mass., being gathered and incorporated by Rev. John White, chose Benjamin Bradstreet pastor, who, with ten other persons, publicly owned the covenant in 1728. Three of these eleven original members were the three Lane brothers, Samuel, John and James.

Samuel Lane died at Lanesville, Mass., 30 Dec., 1724, æ. above sixty years. He had wife ABIGAIL ———, who was admitted to the church at Annisquam Jan. 28, 1730.

Children:

I. DAUGHTER[3], died at Salem Village, 10 Feb., 1692. "Samuel Lanes daughter eighteen days old."—*Record of Rev. Samuel Parris.*

10. II. SAMUEL[3], m. MARY EMMONS.

III. RACHEL[3], b. 15 Nov., 1708, bap. 29 May, 1709, by Rev. John White, First Church, Gloucester, and d. 25 Jan., 1719, æ. about 10 yrs.

4.

JOB LANE[2] (James[1]), 1667–1744, a mason by trade; driven from Maine by the Indians, he settled with kindred at Billerica, Mass., about 1700, was founder of the second Lane family in Bedford, Mass., and known in the records of his generation as Job Lane, Sr.

He bought of Caleb Farley, Jr., Apr. 6, 1700, a house and fifty acres of land south of the Winthrop Purchase, and other lands of Fitz-John Winthrop July 31, 1703. He was allowed by the town of Billerica two lots of 93 and 40 acres in 1708. In March, 1727, he exchanged his house and 50 acres of land with Christopher Page for a house and 150 acres near Shawshine river, and removed to the east part of Bedford, where he was innkeeper to his death. Other purchases of real estate were made by him Oct. 21, 1737, and Jan. 28, 1740.

He sold lands to T. Waite Feb. 13, 1705, to C. Farley Apr. 11, 1706, to J. Mudge Jan. 28, 1707, to F. Wyman July 15, 1719.

Copy, deed, July 15, 1719. "Job Lane and Mary his wife of Billerica, Mass., convey to Francis Wyman of Woburn, Mass., all right and title to lands which formerly belonged to my father James Laine deceased, lying in Casco Bay, containing a neck of land lying between Cousins his River and Harriseekett; also an island lying over against sd Island called Long Island, one seventh of the above described land being what he intends to convey."—*York Co. Records.*

The eldest son of a person who died intestate received two shares in the estate. Job Lane receiving "one seventh" proves that his father James Lane had six children.

Other sales of lands were made by Job Lane to S. Brown Dec. 12, 1720, to J. Blood Aug. 8, 1727, to J. Marshall Nov. 13, 1732, to W. French, Jr., Apr. 2, 1735, to J. Paige Feb. 7, 1737, to T. Waite Mar. 28, 1737, to Z. Whiting Mar. 31, 1740, to J. Lane, 3d, Apr. 16, 1742; his estate to J. Mudge, Nov. 17, 1743.

Job Lane was a soldier in Major John Lane's Indian scout, 1706. He was credited Jan. 20, 1730, with gift of money to incouragement for the town of Bedford in the year 1729. He died 19 Sept., 1744, æ. 77 yrs. His wife was MARY FASSETT[2], dau. of Patrick[1] and Sarah Fassett of Malden and Billerica, Mass. She was b. 31 Mar., 1683, and d. 7 Sept., 1746, æ. 65 yrs.

A highway was laid out in 1694, "from Patrick[1] Fassett's house leading up to Concord Road and from there to Mr. Lane's." John Fassett[2], son of Patrick[1], m. 31 Mar., 1697, Mary Hill of Billerica. He was chosen treasurer at Bedford's first town meeting Sept. 26, 1729, and d. 30 Jan., 1736. Samuel Fassett[2], another son of Patrick[1], was the first town treasurer of Westford, Mass.

Children of Job and Mary (Fassett) Lane:

I. MARY[3], b. 18 Feb., 1706-7, perhaps m. 10 Feb., 1728, WILLIAM INGALLS of Marblehead, Mass.

11. II. JOSEPH[3], b. 11 Jan., 1708-9, m. THANKFUL AMSDEN.

III. SUSANNA[3], b. 2 Mar., 1710-11.

IV. SARAH[3], m. 28 Dec., 1732, JAMES MILLER of Charlestown, Mass.

12. V. JOB, 3d[3], twin, b. 29 Jan., 1713-14, m. SARAH ——.

VI. ELIZABETH[3], twin, b. 29 Jan., 1713-14.

VII. SAMUEL[3], b. 7 Apr., 1716, d. 25 Nov., 1736, æ. 20 yrs.

VIII. SILENCE[3], b. 2 Apr., 1719.

IX. ELIZABETH[3], b. 17 Mar., 1722-3, m. 5 Mar., 1747, his second wife, MICHAEL BACON[5]; he b. Billerica, Mass., 1713, son of Nathaniel[4] and Judith (Wyman) Bacon (Michael[3.2.1]). Nine children:

1. *Elizabeth*, b. 19 Nov., 1747.
2. *Sarah*, b. 17 Feb., 1749-50.
3. *David*, b. 2 June, 1752, was killed June 15, 1810, by Lt. William Merriam, Esq., whom he was guarding when insane.
4. *Nathan*, b. 24 Mar., 1754.
5. *Solomon*, b. 8 Mar., 1756, his rough farm on Pine Hill road, Bedford, Mass.
6. *Molly*, b. 6 Jan., 1758.
7. *Susanna*, b. 27 Mar., 1760.
8. *Martha*, b. 27 June, 1762.
9. *Susanna*, b. 8 Feb., 1765.

5.

DEA. JAMES LANE[3] (John[2], James[1]), 1682–1751, b. Casco Bay 1682; m. first, by Rev. John White, 25 Oct., 1710, RUTH[3], eldest child of John[2] and Ruth (Wheeler) RIGGS. (Thomas Riggs[1], educated in England as a scrivener, first appears in Gloucester, Mass., as grantee of land at Goose Cove in 1658, officiated as school master; town clerk 1665 to 1716, 51 years; selectman upwards of 20 years, and representative in 1700). Mrs. Lane was b. Gloucester, 4 Nov., 1690, and d. 18 Aug., 1711, æ. 20 yrs. Dea. Lane m. second, ent. int. 16 Apr., 1715, JUDITH, widow of William WOODBURY, who was admitted to the church Nov. 13, 1739, and d. his widow, 29 Aug., 1770, æ. 85 yrs. He resided at Lanesville, Gloucester, Mass., where he was a man of marked character and influence.

James Lane, Nov. 9, 1706, bought of John Wainwright of Ipswich, merchant, and Elizabeth his wife, for thirty pounds, a certain messuage or tenement and eighteen acres of upland, in presence of John Lane and John Wainwright, Jr., before Francis Wainwright, justice, Nov. 13, 1706.

Annisquam river and harbor are drawn on William Wood's map of Mass. in 1633, and spelled Wonasquam. This is the spelling in Winthrop's Journal,

1635, and in Josselyn's Account, 1638. "Mr. Endecott was willed to send three men to view Cape Ann, whether it may be cut through and how they find it."—*Gen. Court Records, 1638.*

The neck was cut through in 1643 by the enterprise of Rev. Richard Blynman, the first minister of Gloucester. James Lane was among the seventeen owners of vessels who in 1710 paid the annual charge for using the ship-channel connecting Ipswich and Mass. Bays. He made thirty-six purchases of land from 1716 to 1746.

James, John and Samuel Lane were among the 40 petitioners in 1726 for the Third or Annisquam Parish, which was incorporated June 11, 1728. Rev. Benjamin Bradstreet was ordained pastor of the church at Annisquam Sept. 19, 1728. Samuel Lane, John Lane and James Lane signed the original covenant.

James Lane was chosen deacon of the church at its organization; selectman of Gloucester 1726, 1727, 1730 to 1735, inclusive. Died, intestate, 20 Apr., 1751, æ. 69 yrs.

Administration on his estate was granted to his sons, William Lane and Josiah Lane, May 27, 1751; inventory taken Oct. 10, 1751, was returned Nov. 4, 1751; real estate was appraised £1243, 3, 8, personal estate £323, 6, 1. Committee appointed Nov. 4, 1751, set off dower Nov. 22, 1751, and made return Feb. 24, 1752. The same day the account of the joint administration of William Lane and Josiah Lane was exhibited and approved. The estate included five dwelling houses and buildings attached, parsonage land, flake yard, a fourth part of a schooner at sea, two and one-half pews in the meeting house, two Bibles and a number of other books, "a Negro man £29, 7, 8, a Negro woman £30, 13, 4." After the death of the widow a committee was appointed Jan. 30, 1771, to divide the estate among the heirs, "if it can be done without prejudice to the estate." The division, made Feb. 20, 1771, was returned to Judge of Probate July 30, 1771.

Administration on the estate of widow Judith Lane was granted to Thomas Burnham Oct. 29, 1770; inventory was taken Nov. 24, 1770, and returned Jan. 28, 1771; account of administration was presented May 8, 1776.

Children:

I. JAMES[4], b. 8 Aug., 1711, bap. 13 Apr., 1712, by Rev. John White, d. 14 May, 1729, in his 18th year.

By second marriage:

13. II. WILLIAM[4], b. 24 June, bap. 24 Aug., 1716, m. LYDIA GRIFFIN and DEBORAH (Lane) LANGSFORD.

III. RUTH[4], b. 27 Dec., 1718, bap. 15 Feb., 1719, m. 6 Apr.,

1738, PAUL MORGAN and was admitted to the church Nov. 13, 1739. Their children:

1. *Ruth*, b. 1739. 2. *Mary*, b. 1741. 3. *Judith*, b. 1743. 4. *Paul*, b. 1745, m. *Anna Brown*. 5. *Henry*, b. 1749. 6. *John*, b. 1752. 7. *Joanna*, b. 1755. 8. *William*, b. 1761.

14. IV. JOSIAH[4], b. 29 Mar., bap. 16 Apr., 1721, m. ABIGAIL NORWOOD.

V. MARY[4], b. 25 June, bap. 28 July, 1723, m. THOMAS BURNHAM, and was admitted to the church Dec. 13, 1741.

VI. JOHN[4], b. 8, bap. 29 Aug., 1725, d. before 1751.

VII. JAMES[4], b. 9 Oct., 1729, was master of a fishing schooner and lost on a voyage to the Grand Banks in 1753, æ. 24 yrs. His brother, William Lane, was appointed adm. of his estate Nov. 25, 1754; inventory taken Mar. 31, 1755, and returned Feb. 23, 1756, total £326, 11, 10, including "one third part of a pew in Squam meeting house" and "one old Negro man £20."

6.

JOHN LANE[3] (John[2], James[1]), m. 1 Jan., 1713, by Rev. John White, MARY RIGGS; she b. 30 June, 1696, sister of his brother James' first wife. His vessel was taken and he killed by the Indians at Fox Harbor, near Penobscot, Me., 24 June, 1724. His age was 36 years. Perhaps his widow m. second, 3 Nov., 1726, by Richard Jaques, SAMUEL JONES of Exeter, N. H.

The care of five children and administration on the estate of John Lane, Jr., was committed to his widow, Mary Lane, Sept. 28, 1724. The estate was appraised Oct. 6, 1724, and inventory returned Oct. 12, 1724; amount, £339, 11, 11. It comprised a servant boy, £10, and "one halfe of two vessells, one a Coaster ye other a fishing vessel, £65." Account of administration was presented Feb. 16, 1724-5, and division of estate made to Mary Lane, widow, to David Lane, only son, a double portion, to daughters Mary Lane, Sarah Lane, Dorcas Lane and Comfort Lane. The mother was appointed guardian to the children, all minors under fourteen years of age, Feb. 16, 1725. John Riggs was appointed their guardian Oct. 14, 1727. Dea. James Lane was appointed

guardian to the son David Lane Apr. 25, 1737. The daughters Mary and Sarah had married, and the daughter Comfort had died, Aug. 2, 1737, when John Riggs returned an account of his guardianship, and the estate was equally divided among the four surviving children, Mary Lane alias Roberts, Sarah Lane alias Day, Dorcas Lane and David Lane.

Children:

I. MARY[4], b. 13 Mar., 1714, bap. 20 June, 1714, by Rev. John White; m. 13 Nov., 1735, by Richard Jaques, JOHN ROBERTS, Jr.; he b. 20 Apr., 1714. She gave receipts in full to Dea. James Lane, administrator, for her portion of the real and personal estate of her grandfather, John Lane, June 7, 1739, and Aug. 5, 1740. Their children:

1. *David*, b. 8, d. 9 Aug., 1736. 2. *Comfort*, b. 8 Aug., 1737, d. same day. 3. *Sarah*. 4. *Eliphalet*. 5. *Levi*. 6. *Hannah*. 7. *John*. 8. *Sarah* again.

II. PATIENCE[4], b. 12 July, 1715, d. the same day.

III. SARAH[4], b. 18, bap. 24 June, 1716, m. 29 Apr., 1735, by Richard Jaques, ELIPHALET DAY, and gave receipt to Dea. James Lane for portion of her grandfather's personal estate Aug. 5, 1740. In digging the cellar for the Daniel Day house at Flatstone Cove, Lanesville, about 1870, square bricks from the old house of John Lane[2], Senior, were discovered.

IV. RUTH[4], b. 7, bap. 21 Apr., 1718, d. 6 May, 1718.

V. DORCAS[4], b. 4, bap. 14 June, 1719, m. 16 Nov., 1738, THOMAS WHARF; he b. 21 Mar., 1717, son of Nathaniel Wharf, Jr., a Grand Bank skipper, lost with all his crew on a voyage to the Banks in 1753. She gave receipts for her portion in the real and personal estate of her grandfather, John Lane, to Dea. James Lane, administrator, Apr. 11, 1739, and June 9, 1740. Their children:

1. *Dorcas*. 2. *Sarah*. 3. *Job*. 4. *John*. 5. *Nathaniel*. 6. *Thomas*, b. 3 Aug., 1747. 7. *David*, b. 2 Feb., 1752. 8. *Eliphalet Day*.

VI. JOHN[4], b. 21, bap. 26 Mar., 1721, d. 6 Apr., 1721.

15. VII. DAVID[4], b. 27 May, bap. June, 1722, m. ABIGAIL LANE[4], (Samuel[3,2], James[1]).

VIII. COMFORT[4], b. 18 Aug., 1724, d. before 2 Aug., 1737.

7.

JOSEPH LANE[3] (John[2], James[1]), 1698–1743, was b. 15 Oct., 1698; m. 1 Jan., 1721, by Rev. John White, DEBORAH HARADEN, dau. of Benjamin and Deborah (Norwood) Haraden, and granddau. of Edward and Sarah Haraden.

Members of the Lane family had taken up their residence at Planter's Neck, between Lobster Cove and Annisquam river, before the end of the 17th century. This property had come into the possession of Edward Haraden, who appears to have been the first settler at Squam Point about 1656. Joseph Lane moved from Lane's Cove or Bay View to the Haraden grant. He bought land of Deborah Haradèn, administratrix, Mar. 17, 1725, and of John Lane, Jan. 7, 1737. He gave Dea. James Lane, administrator, receipts for real and personal estate of his father, John Lane, Apr. 11, 1739, and May 6, 1740. About 40 of the neighbors petitioned to be incorporated as the Third Parish in 1726.

Joseph Lane and wife joined the church in Annisquam Sept. 26, 1731. He d. 24 Apr., 1743, in his 45th year.

Children:

I. DEBORAH[4], b. 17 Dec., 1721, d. 17 May, 1722, æ. about 5 ms.

II. DEBORAH[4], b. 24 Apr., 1724, m. first, 9 Jan., 1744, JOHN LANGSFORD; he b. 1722, son of Richard and Mary (Rowe) Langsford, and was shot by Indians in ambush while walking on shore at Owl's Head, Me. She m. second, 1756, her cousin, WILLIAM LANE[4] (James[3], John[2], James[1]), and m. third, Mr. WEBSTER.

III. JOSEPH[4], b. 3, bap. 9 May, 1725, d. 9 Mar., 1726, æ. about 10 ms.

16. IV. JOSEPH[4], b. 20 Aug., 1726, m. JOANNA HARADEN.

17. V. CALEB[4], b. 16 Nov., 1729, m. LYDIA RIGGS.

18. VI. SOLOMON[4], b. 29, bap. 31 Oct., 1731, m. ABIGAIL GOTT and JUDITH KNOWLTON.

VII. ESTHER[4], bap. 9 Dec., 1732.

VIII. AMEY or AMY[4], bap. 25 Jan., 1735-6. She m. Mr. KETCHAM, and according to reliable tradition lived to be one hundred years old. Among descendants living in 1899 is the Rev. William E. Ketcham, D. D., of Yonkers, N. Y., editor of *The Preacher's Magazine, etc., etc.*

19. IX. GIDEON[4], bap. 19 Mar., 1737-8, m. MARY BABSON.

X. JOHN[4], b. 8 July, 1739, perhaps killed in an engagement with a British ship of twenty guns, May 29, 1778, and mentioned as the first victim of the Revolutionary war from Annisquam.

XI. ANN[4], b. 7. Jan., bap. 8 Feb., 1740-1, m. GEORGE DENNISON, and lived in Freeport, Me.

8.

BENJAMIN LANE[3] (John[2], James[1]), 1700–1773, b. in Lanesville, Gloucester, Mass., 25 July, 1700, m. 6 Jan., 1725–6, by Rev. John White, ELIZABETH GRIFFIN, a descendant of Samuel and Elizabeth (York) Griffin. They resided in Gloucester where he bought land of Abraham Robinson, Jr., Nov. 15, 1727, and other lands in 1737 and 1738. He gave receipts for his portion of the real and personal estate of his father, John Lane, to Dea. James Lane, adm., April 11, 1739, and May 6, 1740. He d. 12 Mar., 1773, æ. 72 years. His widow Elizabeth Lane d. of asthma, 11 Sept., 1779, æ. 70 years.

Children:

I. THOMAS[4], b. 5 Sept., 1726, d. 10 Sept., 1726.

20. II. BENJAMIN[4], b. 23 Nov., 1727, m. HANNAH LANE.

III. ELIZABETH[4], b. 3 Jan., 1730.

21. IV. JONATHAN[4], b. 2, bap. 10 Oct., 1731, had wives LYDIA ROBINSON, ESTHER STANIFORD and ELIZABETH WHALEN.

V. JOHN[4], b. 15, bap. 20 Oct., 1733, entered intention of m. 12 Aug., 1756, with RACHEL SARGENT, and resided in Gloucester.

VI. LYDIA[4], b. 24 Feb., bap. 19 Mar., 1735–6.

22. VII. HEZEKIAH[4], b. 31 Mar., bap. 2 Apr., 1738, had wife HANNAH GOTT.

VIII. DAVID[4], bap. 1740.

IX. DANIEL[4], bap. 3 June, 1740, had wife HANNAH ——, and children:

1. *Mary*[5], bap. 24 Oct., 1762.
2. *Judith*[5], bap. 22 Sept., or 13 Oct., 1765.

X. DORCAS[4], bap. 16 Oct., 1743.

23. XI. JOSEPH[4], bap. 8 Sept., 1745, m. RACHEL ROWE and SARAH DAVIS.

XII. JOSHUA[4], twin, bap. 8 Sept., 1745.

XIII. LOIS[4], bap. 13 Dec., 1747, m. 5 Nov., 1767, EBENEZER ANNIS[4]; he b. Gloucester, 18 Feb., 1747, (Isaac[3] and Experience Haraden, Isaac[2] and Rebecca ——, Charles[1] and Sarah Chase, of Newbury, Mass.) Children born in Gloucester:

1. *Lois*, bap. 2 Apr., 1769.
2. *Mark*, bap. 26 Nov., 1769, d. young.
3. *Esther*, bap. 13 June, 1773, m. Oct., 1791, *Richard Grover Pew.*
4. *Lydia*, bap. 29 Mar., 1777.
5. *Ebenezer*, b. 24 Apr., 1779.
6. *Mark*, b. 7 Oct., 1780.

XIV. NATHANIEL[4], b. 10, bap. 23 Sept., 1750.

XV. REBECCA[4], bap. 22 Dec., 1751.

XVI. PETER[4], b. 18 Apr., 1754, d. 30 Oct., 1772, æ. 19 years.

9.

JOB LANE[3] (John[2], James[1]), was b. in Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., 8 Feb., 1705, bap. 22 July, 1705, by Rev. John White; entered intention of m. with MARY ASHBY of Beverly, Mass., 20 Oct., and m. 26 Nov., 1734, by Rev. Benjamin Bradstreet.

She was baptized and joined the church at Annisquam, May 10, 1741. He bought land in Gloucester of John Lane, Jan. 7, 1737; signed an indenture June, 1738; gave receipt for portion of the personal estate of his father, John Lane, to Dea. James Lane, administrator, May 6, 1740; sold to James Lane, flake-yard and a dwelling he had bought of Stephen Butler, before 1751.

The fifth or Sandy Bay parish, now Rockport, Mass., was incorporated Jan. 1, 1754, and the new church organized Feb. 13, 1755. Job Lane was among the about 40 tax-payers at Sandy Bay in 1754. He bought lands of John Pool, June 18, 1766, and of Nathaniel Allen, et als., Oct. 10, 1766.

Fifth Parish Gloucester. "I say Reced per me Ebnr Cleaveland orders and abaitments in the year 1771. JOB LANE.
head abated 0—11—0."

He d. in Rockport. Mary Lane his widow d. in 1795, very aged of course.

Children born and baptized at Annisquam:

I. SARAH[4], b. 10, bap. 14 Sept., 1735, probably entered intention of m. 25 May, 1758, with LEMUEL MERCHANT[2], (Jabez[1]). "1761, Oct. 30. Visited Lemuel Merchant, in a consumption."—*Rev. Samuel Chandler's Diary*. Children:

1. *Sarah*, bap. 13 May, 1759.
2. *Lemuel*, bap. 3 May, 1761.

II. JONATHAN[4], bap. 19 Dec., 1736.

III. JOB[4], bap. 18 June, 1738, m. 26 Feb., 1782, JOHENA MORGAN.

IV. MARTHA[4], bap. 24 Feb., 1739–40.

24. V. EBENEZER[4], bap. 4 July, 1742, m. MARY PRESTON and EUNICE DODD.

VI. DEBORAH[4], bap. 8 Jan., 1743–4, m. 28 Nov., 1767, JAMES PARSONS; he b. 25 Oct., 1746, son of James and Abigail (Tarr) Parsons of Sandy Bay, now Rockport, Mass. Their son:

1. *William*, b. 27 Mar., 1780, m. 7 Sept., 1803, *Martha Pool*, and d. Nov., 1823, leaving an only son William, b. Gloucester, 30 Aug., 1804, d. Newton, Mass., 1 July, 1885, æ. 80 yrs., 10 ms.

25. VII. ANDREW[4], bap. 6 Feb., 1745–6, m. MARY TARR and SARAH STORY.

VIII. EDMUND[4], bap. 19 June, 1748.

IX. MARY[4], bap. 15 Sept., 1751, m. 5 Dec., 1773, JOSEPH DRESSER, a native of Gloucester, who settled previously to 1782, in Danville, Me. Four children:

1. *Mary*, m. *William Moody, 2d.*
2. *Martha*, m. *Joseph Davis*, and had Dr. Joseph D. Davis, of Auburn, Me.

10.

SAMUEL LANE[3] (Samuel[2], James[1]), was pub. 6 Oct., and m. 23 Oct., 1722, by Rev. John White, MARY EMMONS, both of Gloucester, Mass. He was an original member of the Third Church, Annisquam, 1728, and his wife Mary was admitted to membership in 1743.

"1752, Jan. 2. In the morning sent for to pray with Sam'l Lane's child; in the evening visited and prayed again at Sam'l Lane's.

1752, Dec. 18. I visited and prayed with Sam'l Lane's wife, sick.

1761, Sept. 2. I attended the funeral of Sam'l Lane's wife; died of nervous fever."—*Journal of Rev. Samuel Chandler.*

Mr. Lane is probably the Samuel Lane who ent. int. of m. 7 Jan., 1762, with MARY NEWHALL of Newbury, Mass.

He bought land of his father Jan. 19, 1724, had claim against the estate of John Lane[2] (James[1]) in 1738, bought land of John Prince Aug. 26, 1754, and of Epes Sargent Sept. 3, 1759.

Administration on the estate of Samuel Lane was granted to his son-in-law, David Lane, Apr. 10, 1765; inventory taken Apr. 23, 1765, was returned May 10, 1765; account of adm. was rendered June 17, 1765, additional account Oct. 14, 1765. The estate comprised dwelling house, barn and shop, 17 1-2 acres of land, cattle, blacksmith's tools, fishing boat and canoe. Among the claims allowed was that of "the widow for mourning."

Children:

26. I. SAMUEL[4], b. 7 July, bap. 4 Aug., 1723, m. DELIVERANCE POOL.

II. MARY[4], b. 4 Sept., 1724.

III. ABIGAIL[4], b. 23 Feb., bap. 15 May, 1726, was admitted to the church June 20, 1742, m. DAVID LANE[4] (John[3.2], James[1]).

IV. ELIZABETH[4], b. 26, bap. 31 Mar., 1728.

27. V. ZEBULON[4], b. 1 July, 1729, m. HANNAH COGSWELL.

VI. HANNAH[4], b. 10 Jan., 1730-1, m. BENJAMIN LANE[4] (Benj.[3], John[2], James[1]).

VII. JUDITH[4], bap. 13 May, 1732.

28. VIII. DANIEL[4], bap. 5 Jan., 1734-5, m. MARY LANE.

IX. JUDITH[4], b. 16 June, bap. 11 July, 1736.

X. SUSANNA[4], bap. 23 Oct., 1737.

29. XI. ISSACHER[4], b. 11, bap. 17 June, 1739, m. MARY HODGKINS.

XII. ZACHEUS[4], bap. 31 Aug., 1740.

XIII. MARY[4], b. 16, bap. 18 Oct., 1741.

11.

JOSEPH LANE[3] (Job[2], James[1]), b. Billerica, Mass., 11 Dec., 1708, m. THANKFUL, dau. of Isaac AMSDEN, resided at Bedford and Sutton, Mass.

Joseph Lane formerly of Bedford, now Resident in the town of Sutton, Husbandman, paid Richard Waters of Sutton, 200 pounds in good Bills of Credit, Mar. 14, 1736–7, for 130 acres of land adjacent to Sutton and part of that land which was surveyed by Mr. John Chandler, Jr. Acknowledged, Aug. 15, 1737.—*Wor. Co. Deeds, 8: 391.*

Joseph Lane died intestate at Sutton, about 20 Mar., 1737. Adm. on the estate was granted to his brother Job Lane tertius, of Bedford, who gave bond accordingly Mar. 28, 1737. Inv. taken Aug. 17, 1737, included lands, man's and woman's clothing and baby linen; amount, 397£, 1s, 11d; disbursements, 107£, 1s, 7d. Account presented Aug. 20, 1740.

Child:

I. JOSEPH[4], b. 6 Sept., 1736. "Proposed the baptismal covenant to Joseph Lane and Thankful his wife and baptized their child Joseph, Oct. ye 31st, 1736."—*Bedford Church Records.*

Joseph Lane, being a minor about ten months of age, his grandfather, Job Lane, was appointed his guardian and gave bond, Aug. 1, 1737. Job Lane, guardian, being "unable and infirm of Body," petitioned, Sept. 4, 1742, that his son, Job Lane 3d, be appointed "guardian in my stead over Joseph Lane a minor under age." The petition was granted and Job Lane 3d gave bond, Sept. 6, 1742. This trust of Job Lane 3d as both administrator and guardian, was represented, Sept. 13, 1742, as "altogether improper." Parties were cited to appear Sept. 30, 1742, the Judge saying, "I shall put off the matter of the guardianship, the parties meanwhile to agree on some third party." Hearing was had Oct. 11, 1742, when the judge decided, "I appoint Benjamin Kidder of Bedford, guardian in the room of Job Lane 3d, to Joseph Lane in his 7th year, son of Joseph Lane late of Sutton." When 20 years of age, Joseph Lane appears to be living with Dr. Upham of Brookfield and having Benjamin Kidder his guardian and Job Lane 3d the administrator of his father's estate.

Joseph Lane of Sutton, husbandman, in consideration of 200 pounds, Mar. 10, 1761, received from Richard Waters, deed of 149 acres of land "lying adjacent to Sutton and part of the land I bought of ye Province committee." This was to make good the quality and bounds of land [sold to his father] Mar. 14, 1736–7.—*Deeds 44: 116.*

He sold this land to Henry Nichols of Sutton, for 214 pounds, Mar. 13, 1762.—*43: 414.*

12.

JOB LANE, 3d (Job[2], James[1]), 1714–1754, twin, b. Billerica, Mass., 29 Jan., 1713-14, resided in Bedford and was innkeeper in Brookfield, Mass.

He was appointed administrator of his brother Joseph's estate Mar. 28, 1737, and bought land of J. Lane Apr. 16, 1742, and sold land to N. Pope, Jr., Feb. 2, 1748.

Jobe Lane Jr. of Bedford paid Philip and Mary Goss, 150 pounds, Apr. 11, 1748, for 82 acres of land in Brookfield, Co. of Worcester.—*Wor. Deeds, 24 : 427.* Job Lane of Brookfield paid John Goss, 300 pounds, Nov. 20, 1748, for 10 acres of land in Brookfield.—*27 : 288.* He paid Thomas and Abigail Goss 3000 pounds old tenor, Feb. 15, 1748-9, for 110 acres of land, being the homestead of Capt. Philip Goss late of Brookfield, with the buildings.—*28 : 241.* Job Lane of Brookfield, Innholder, paid John Goss 160 pounds old tenor, Sept. 17, 1749, for 25 acres in Brookfield.—*31 : 84.* He paid Abner Gilbert 100 pounds lawful money, Oct. 7, 1750, for 73 acres of land in Brookfield and deeded it back again May 24, 1751.—*30 : 158 and 31 : 31.* Job Lane of Brookfield, gentleman, received judgment May 22, 1752, against Ephraim Hayward and David Hoar both of Western in Co. of Worcester, for 57 pounds 16 shillings 7 pence damage and 2 pounds 1 penny cost lawful money, and was put in possession of the premises Nov. 7, 1752.—*32 : 87.* He sold John Cutler for 700 pounds lawful money, Jan. 14, 1754, 300 acres of land in Brookfield; also paid him 400 pounds lawful money for 100 acres in Brookfield Jan. 14, 1754.—*32 : 514 and 34 : 245.*

Mrs. Sarah Lane, gentlewoman, and Thomas Hall, gentleman, both of Brookfield, executors of the last will of Job Lane late of Brookfield, gentleman, sold to Jonas Brewer of No. 1 in Co. of Hampshire, for 373 pounds 6 shillings 8 pence, Apr. 17, 1758, one messuage in Brookfield containing 100 acres with buildings.—*Deeds 55 : 127.*

Account of Noah Gilbert and Sarah Gilbert his wife who before marriage was Sarah Lane wife of Job Lane late of Brookfield, acting executors of the last will of Job Lane, the other executor being Thos. Hale.

Inv. of Personal estate Aug. 17, 1754,

£967	15	11
911	17	5
55	18	6

Rendered Oct. 17, 1759.

—*Wor. Co. Wills, 6 : 280.*

Children of Job and Sarah Lane:

I. SARAH[4], b. Bedford, Mass., 28 Jan., bap. 3 Feb., 1739–40, m. first, 29 Sept., 1757, ABNER HOWE of North Brookfield, Mass.,

who d. in the hospital 20 Dec., 1776, from sickness contracted in the army of the Revolution. After his decease the family moved to Jaffrey, N. H., where she m. second, SAMUEL PARKER, who survived her. Tablet erected by her grandson is inscribed: "Sarah Parker, mother of Dr. Adonijah Howe, died Dec. 30, 1795, aged 59." Children of Abner and Sarah (Lane) Howe born in North Brookfield, Mass.:

1. *Adonijah*, b. 24 July, 1758, moved his mother's family to Jaffrey, N. H., where he began to practice medicine at an early age and d. 31 July, 1832. 2. *Percis*, b. 3 Sept., 1760. 3. *Abner*, b. 11 Jan., 1763, d. 1837. 4. *Sarah*, b. 13 Feb., 1765. 5. *Rebecca*, b. 21 June, 1767, d. 1821. 6. *Job Lane*, b. 16 or 18 Sept., 1769, d. 1838. 7. *Eunice*, b. 6 Nov., 1771, d. 1843. 8. *James*, b. 10 or 16 Mar., 1774, d. 13 Nov., 1810. 9. *Thankful*, b. 14 May, 1777, tradition says born at the time her father lay dying or about 20 Dec., 1776.

II. JOB[4], b. Bedford, 14 Feb., bap. 28 Feb., 1741-2, graduated Yale College 1764, and d. 16 Sept., 1768, æ. 27 yrs. A stone, with an highly appreciative inscription in Latin, marks his grave at New Haven, Conn.

Epitaph: "Stop Traveller. Here, hard by, lyeth D., Job Lane, M. A., Tutor in Yale College, a man distinguished for his talent, sobriety, literary attainments and piety. This perishable monument briefly witnesses to thee,—That he was born in Bedford, A. D. 1741; That in Youth he was very fond of study; That in academic pursuits he surpassed others; That for three Years he earnestly preached the Gospel; That for two years he faithfully performed the duties of Tutor; That he was very dear to his parents, loved by his friends and all favorers of piety, and that deeply mourned by all he departed this life Sept. 16, 1768."

III. JONATHAN[4], b. 3 Feb., bap. 5 Feb., 1743-4.

IV. SAMUEL[4], b. 6 May, 1746.

V. MARY[4], b. 16 Mar., 1747-8.

13.

WILLIAM LANE[4] (James[3], John[2], James[1]), 1716–1759, b. Lanesville, Mass., 24 June, bap. 24 Aug., 1716, by Rev. John White; m. first by Rev. Benjamin Bradstreet, 1 Jan., 1738, LYDIA GRIFFIN, who was admitted to the church, 20 June, 1742. He

ent. int. of m. 13 Feb., 1756, with DEBORAH (Lane[4]) LANGSFORD, (Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]). Mr. Lane d. about 1759.

Guardianship for the children was granted as follows: John Lane a minor above fourteen to Ambrose Wincut, Apr. 21, 1760; William and Joanna under fourteen, and other children under seven to Deborah Lane, Nov. 10, 1760; Nicholas and Rachel under fourteen to Thomas Burnham, Jr., of Ipswich, Dec. 15, 1760; Nicholas and Rachel, now above fourteen to Samuel Griffin, Apr. 10, 1765; Lydia and Judith above fourteen to John Hale, Apr. 10, 1765. Nicholas and Rachel "having arrived at full age," release their guardian, Samuel Griffin, Dec. 5, 1770.

Administration on the estate of William Lane was granted to his widow, Deborah Lane, May 12, 1760. Inventory taken June 20, 1760, was exhibited with account of adm., Sept. 1, 1760. Additional inventory was returned, Mar. 9, 1761. Dower set off, Sept. 28, 1761. Other accounts of adm. were rendered, Oct. 13, 1761, and Oct. 6, 1763. Further account by "Deborah Lane now Webster," Mar. 11, 1765, and July 27, 1767.

Children:

I. SARAH[5], b. 6, bap. 15 Dec., 1738.

II. WILLIAM[5], b. 12, bap. 21 Dec., 1740, d. in France about 1759, æ. 18 years.

III. JOHN[5], b. 17, bap. 20 Mar., 1742–3.

IV. LYDIA[5], b. 30 May, bap. 2 June, 1745.

V. JUDITH[5], b. 21, bap. 28 June, 1747.

30. VI. NICHOLAS[5], b. 18 July, bap. 6 Aug., 1749, had wives NANCY BEZOIL and MARY ——.

VII. RACHEL[5], bap. 13 Feb., 1751–2, m. 16 Dec., 1784, by Rev. Daniel Fuller, JOSIAH GRIFFIN; he b. Mar., 1742, son of Samuel and Mary (York) Griffin, and lived in Sandy Bay, Mass.

VIII. JOANNA[5], b. 8, bap. 10 July, 1753.

By second marriage:

IX. JOANNA[5], b. 16, bap. 17 July, 1757.

X. WILLIAM[5], b. 6 Aug., 1759, presented for bap. by Deborah Lane, widow, 16 Sept., 1759; was lost in a storm at sea, May 29, 1778, æ. 19 years.

14.

JOSIAH LANE[4] (James[3], John[2], James[1]), 1721–1766, was b. in Gloucester, Mass., 29 Mar., 1721, m. 20 Mar., 1743, by Rev. Benjamin Bradstreet, ABIGAIL NORWOOD[3]; she b. 28 Mar., 1723, dau. of Joshua[2], (Francis[1]), and Elizabeth (Andrews) Norwood.

Francis Norwood[1], was one of Cromwell's soldiers and, after the restoration of Charles II, fled from England. Joshua Norwood[2] was a fisherman and later engaged in getting out mooring- and mill-stones, the first man in Gloucester to quarry stone—a business since become of national repute.

Mr. Lane and his wife were members of the Third Church in Annisquam, she admitted in 1749, and its records show the baptism of their children. He is probably the Josiah Lane who made six purchases of land in Gloucester from 1749 to 1757. Administration on his estate was granted to his widow, Abigail Lane, Nov. 3, 1766. Inventory taken, Jan. 12, 1767, returned Feb. 23, 1767. It included house and lands, "half a small schooner, a pew in Squam meeting house and one third of another pew, and one third of one eighth of the vacancy in the gallery." Dower was set off and estate apportioned, May 25, 1767. Account of adm. was rendered, May 26, 1767, and additional account, Feb. 26, 1771.

Abigail (Norwood) Lane seems to have m. again, "Joseph Caffareen, the school master," who d. 6 Sept., 1814. She is said to have d. at Mt. Desert, Me., at her daughter Abigail's. The house occupied by Josiah Lane and family is still standing at Bay View, Gloucester, though changed in appearance. Here Capt. Francis Lane made his home when he came to Cape Ann on his yearly visits to go fishing. It was sold by Mark Lane and heirs to Joseph Berry.

Children, births entered in family Bible and baptisms on church records by Rev. Benjamin Bradstreet. It is said that six or seven of these brothers were at the battle of Bunker hill together.

I. RUTH[5], b. 8 Oct., 1743, bap. 8 Jan., 1743–4.

II. JUDITH[5], b. 23 June, bap. 22 Sept., 1745.

31. III. JAMES[5], b. 8 June, bap. 14 June, 1747, m. HANNAH ROBINSON.

32. IV. JOSIAH[5], b. 6, bap. 11 Dec., 1748, m. JERUSHA STEVENS.

33. V. ISAAC[5], b. 4 Nov., bap. 11 Nov., 1750, m. DORCAS BENNETT and JERUSHA ——.

34. VI. THEOPHILUS[5], b. 9, bap. 12 July, 1752, m. SUSANNAH DAVIS.

35. VII. LEVI[5], b. 3, bap. 10 Nov., 1754, m. ELIZABETH GYLES and SUSANNA (Newman) LANE.

36. VIII. FRANCIS[5], b. 12 Dec., 1756, bap. 17 July, 1757, m. ESTHER GRIFFIN, HANNAH WYMAN and BETSEY GAMMON.

IX. ABIGAIL[5], b. 19, bap. 21 Oct., 1759, prob. m. 18 June, 1778, by Rev. Obadiah Parsons, NATHANIEL BENNETT, resided at Mount Desert, Me.

37. X. MARK[5], b. 8 Jan., b. 10 Jan., 1762, m. ESTHER GOTT.

XI. AMMI[5], b. 5, bap. 17 June, 1764, named for Rev. Ammi Ruhamah Cutter, first pastor of No. Yarmouth, Me., 1730–1735. "Pownal, Me. Direct U. S. Tax 1821. Ammi Lane: Real and personal estate and Income $97.00, six p^r cent. $5.82."

15.

DAVID LANE[4] (John[3.2], James[1]), 1722–1777, b. June, 1722, at Lanesville, Gloucester, Mass., was two years old when his father was killed by the Indians.

His guardians were his mother, Mary Lane, Feb. 16, 1725, John Riggs, Oct. 14, 1727, Dea. James Lane, Apr. 25, 1737. He had arrived of age Oct. 28, 1743, when he gave Dea. James Lane a receipt in full for his interest in the estate of his father, John Lane, Jr.[3], and his grandfather, John Lane[2]. He bought land in Annisquam, July 25, 1748, and purchases were continued by his son, David Lane[5], and grandson, David Lane[6], for more than half a century. He was adm. on the estate of his father-in-law, Samuel Lane, 1765.

David Lane m. 31 Oct., 1743, by Rev. Benjamin Bradstreet, ABIGAIL LANE[4] (Samuel[3.2], James[1]), and was intending m. with DELIVERANCE GOTT, 12, and m. 28 May, 1769. He d. 3 Sept., 1777, æ. 56 years.

Children:

I. SUSANNA[5], b. 3 May, bap. 17 June, 1744.

II. JOHN[5], b. 5, bap. 7 July, 1745.

III. MARY[5], b. 7, bap. 25 Jan., 1746–7.

IV. THOMASIN[5], b. 3, bap. 9 May, 1749. "Tammy Lane" m.

25 Nov., 1769, DANIEL MERCHANT[3] (Daniel[2], Jabez[1]); he b. 6 Aug., 1745, one of the incorporators of the Independent Christian church, 1792. Their children were:

1. *Tammy*, bap. 4 Nov., 1770. 2. *Daniel*, b. 1771. 3. *Rebecca*, b. 1774. 4. *Caleb*, twin. 5. *Nancy*, twin. 6. Perhaps others.

38. V. DAVID[5], b. 1 Dec., 1750, m. HANNAH MERCHANT.

VI. FRANCIS[5], bap. 12 Dec., 1756.

VII. SARAH[5], bap. 17 June, 1764, m. 1792, ASA TODD of Rowley, Mass.

VIII. JUDITH[5], bap. 22 Sept. 1765.

16.

JOSEPH LANE[4] (Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1726–1776, b. Gloucester, Mass., 20 Aug., 1726. At the age of twenty-four years, 12 Nov., 1750, he entered intention of m. with JOANNA HARADEN, widow of Joseph Haraden with half a dozen children.

He sold to Dea. James Lane, before 1751, part of a flake-yard at Lanesville, Mass.

Records of the Fifth Parish of Gloucester, now Rockport, Mass.

"March the 24 Day 1767 at a Parish meeting said Meeting Maid Chois of Joseph Lane Edmund Grover Jonathan Pool for Moneters."

"November the 8 Day 1775. At Payrish Meeting Lawfully assembled then Maid Choice of Francis Pool mr John Rowe Jr and Joseph Lane as a Committee to prouid a scool Master also to Mend the Meeting house. Voted that the Same Committee Settel with Mr Nehemiah Grover and Pay him his Damidg Done his Seat in the Meeting house."

"Jenuary the twelfth Day 1775 [6] at Parish Meeting Mr Joseph Lane Thomas Rowe Daniel Young chosen Moneters."

Joseph Lane paid Daniel Lane, £30, 13s, 4d, Jan. 2, 1772, for sixty acre lot No. 5, Division 2, in New Gloucester, Maine.

About one century after the settlement of Cape Ann, all the available land was under cultivation and the young men must turn to the sea or to the wilds of Maine. Joshua Lane was engaged in real estate transactions at Falmouth in 1700. John Lane presented land claims at North Yarmouth in 1715, shared in the division of Wallis estate at Cape Elizabeth, 1723, and was dealing in real estate in Maine as late as 1732. Theophilus Lane resided at North Yarmouth in 1770, and subscribed his "proportionable part of cost" to Dr. Elias Bank's private school. Gideon Lane removed from Gloucester to Free-

port, Me., about 1780. Isaac Lane bought land and settled in Gray, Me., 1781, and moved to Falmouth, Me., 1793. Francis Lane settled at North Yarmouth, Me., at the close of his service in the Revolution, and was at Minot in 1802, and at South Paris in 1818. Hannah Lane m. John Trow of North Yarmouth; he bap. 7 Nov., 1768, and was a member of the First church, Sept. 15, 1799. Joanna Lane united with the First church in Freeport, between its organization, Dec. 21, 1789, and 1805, and died before 1805.

Joseph Lane died 1776, a communicant in the Fifth church, Gloucester, Mass.

Children:

39. I. CALEB[5], of Annisquam, m. ABIAH SAVILLE.

40. II. GIDEON[5], of Gloucester, m. ANNA GRIFFIN and HANNAH LANE.

17.

CALEB LANE[4] (Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1729–1783, b. Gloucester, Mass., 16 Nov., 1729, followed the sea for a livelihood, and was soldier in Lt. Lane's company of scouts at Squam, May 9, 1776. He m. 15 Nov., 1752, by Rev. John Rogers, LYDIA RIGGS, and d. 10 Feb., 1783, æ. 54 yrs.

"Erected to the memory of Caleb Lane, who died Feb. 10th, 1783, aged 54.

Farewell, my wife and children dear.
If aught on earth could keep me here,
'Twould be my love for you;
But Jesus calls my soul away—
Jesus forbids a longer stay—
My dearest friends adieu."

—*Parish Cemetery, Lanesville.*

Lydia (Riggs) Lane d. 21 Mar., 1812, æ. 83 years.

"From scene to scene our fleeting moments go."

Administration on her estate was granted to Aaron Lane Jan. 5, 1813.

Children baptized at Annisquam:

I. LYDIA[5], b. 5, bap. 16 Sept., 1753, m. NATHANIEL LANE[5] (Benjamin[4,3], John[2], James[1]).

II. THOMASIN[5], bap. 29 Aug., 1756, ent. int. of m. 6 Mar., 1788, with WILLIAM EVANS of Pelham, N. H.

41. III. CALEB[5], b. 23, bap. 27 May, 1759, m. HANNAH BURNHAM.

42. IV. JOSEPH[5], bap. 30 Nov., 1760, m. JOANNA MORGAN.

V. AARON[5], bap. 28 Oct., 1764, by Rev. Ebenezer Cleaveland. He was a sea captain, bought lands in Gloucester Jan. 3, 1795, and July 14, 1796; administered on the estate of his brother, Wentworth R. Lane, Dec. 4, 1809, and on the estate of his mother, Lydia Lane, June 5, 1813. He ent. int. 27 Oct., and m. 20 Nov., 1787, widow MARTHA (Hodgkins) MERCHANT, dau. of John and Molly Hodgkins, who d. of old age, his widow, 22 Oct., 1857, æ. 94 yrs., 18 ds. Capt. Lane d. Nov., 1833. His will, dated Oct. 23, 1833, proved Jan., 1834, with Samuel Lane, Esq., adm., gave to wife Martha Lane "the use, profit and benefit of my whole estate," after her decease "to go to Jabez Marchant and Thomas Marchant, minor children of Jabez Merchant, Jr., deceased."—*Essex Co. Wills.*

VI. AMMI, AMORI or AMEY[5], bap. 8 Dec., 1765.

VII. WENTWORTH RIGGS[5], bap. 22 May, 1767, by Rev. John Wyeth. He was a fisherman, purchased land in Squam parish of Jonathan Woodbury Jan. 10, 1791, and land of the estate of Cornelius Lane, with part of a pew in the meeting house, 1808. He d. intestate, 1809. Aaron Lane, adm.

"In memory of Wentworth Riggs Lane, who died Augst 6th, 1809, aged 42 years.

Adieu! my friends, a long adieu,
I leave the joys of earth with you,
I seek a Heavenly prize;
May you in Jesus too be found,
And when the trump of God shall sound,
In His blest Image rise."

VIII. SUSANNA[5], bap. 21 May, 1769, ent. int. of m. 5 Nov., 1791, with SOLOMON SARGENT, 3d.

43. IX. ZACHEUS[5], b. 7 June, 1769, bap. 16 June, 1771, m. REBECCA MERCHANT.

18.

SOLOMON LANE[4] (Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), b. 29 Oct., 1731; bought land in Gloucester, Mass., Third Parish, of John Saville, Jan. 28, 1756; ent. int. 2 Feb., and m. 22 Mar., 1764, ABIGAIL GOTT, who was admitted to the church in 1764, and d. 30 Sept., 1774, æ. 38 yrs. He m. second, 31 July, 1778, by Rev. Obadiah Parsons, JUDITH KNOWLTON, who survived him and ent. int. of m. 13 Feb., 1802, with Joseph Cafferene, the village teacher of Gloucester.

Administration on the estate of Solomon Lane, mariner of Gloucester, was granted to his widow, Judith Lane, Apr. 2, 1799. Inventory taken May 29 and 30, 1799, and returned July 1, 1799, included a dwelling house two stories high with back rooms, barn, land, live stock, "old store at Harraden's point," "an old schooner better than 30 tons, eleven years old and nearly run out," a two mast boat in partnership with Solomon and Cornelius Lane, one French gun, one King's arm, half a wall pew in Annisquam meeting house; total $1376.75. Dower set off Dec. 2, 1800. Account of adm. rendered and estate settled Mar. 7, 1803.—*Essex Co. Deeds.*

Children:

44. I. SOLOMON, Jr.[5], b. 21 Jan., bap. Squam, 24 Feb., 1765, m. SALLY STANWOOD.

45. II. NATHANIEL[5], b. 2, bap. 9 Nov., 1766, m. SARAH WOODBURY.

46. III. CORNELIUS[5], b. 24 Oct., 1769, bap. 24 Dec., 1769, m. LUCY HARRADEN.

47. IV. HUMPHREY[5], bap. 13 Oct., 1771, m. SUSANNAH GREENLEAF and MARY P——.

V. ABIGAIL[5], bap. 25 July, 1773, d. 30 Sept., 1774, æ. 18 ms.

VI. PITTS[5], bap. 29 Oct., 1775, had died leaving legal representatives Mar. 7, 1803.

By second marriage:

VII. ABIGAIL, 2d[5], bap. at home 25 Mar., 1779; received from Cornelius Lane Mar. 7, 1803, a portion in the settlement of their father's estate; m. DAVID LANE[6] (David[5.4], John[3.2], James[1]).

VIII. MARK[5]. Judith Lane was appointed guardian to Mark Lane, a minor more than 14 years of age, Joseph Cafferene her

bondsman, Nov. 4, 1799. Mark Lane was guardian to William Lane, Mar. 7, 1803, and presented a claim against the estate of Cornelius Lane, 1808.

IX. AMMI[5], bap. at Second church, 6 June, 1784.

X. GEORGE WASHINGTON[5]. His mother, Judith Lane, was appointed his guardian Apr. 2, 1799; he received from Cornelius Lane a bond for his portion in their father's estate Dec. 2, 1800; his claim against the estate of Cornelius Lane was allowed, 1808.

48. XI. WILLIAM[5], b. 1789, m. POLLY LANE, NANCY —— and LOUISA BROOKS.

19.

GIDEON LANE[4] (Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1738–1813, was bap. at Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., 19 Mar., 1737–8. He ent. int. of m. 21 Jan., and m. 23 Feb., 1763, by Rev. Ebenezer Cleaveland, MARY BABSON. Both were bap. 11 Apr., 1773, and united with the church in Annisquam, 23 May, 1773. She d. of consumption, 8 Jan., 1779, æ. 34 years, a great aunt of John J. Babson, the historian of Gloucester. He m. second, 25 Mar., 1780, by Rev. Eli Forbes, widow LYDIA GATEWOOD.

Mr. Lane probably located at Porridge Hill in Dogtown, Gloucester, where the well is still shown. His daughter Mrs. Asa Woodbury is remembered to have said that she was born there. But he soon settled at Lobster cove. Gideon Lane and Gideon Lane, Jr., made many purchases of land in Gloucester from 1773 to 1799. Tradition connects the father with the exploits of the English sloop of war "Falcon" which had aided the British at the battle of Bunker Hill. The vessel made her appearance in Ipswich Bay, Aug. 5, 1775. Capt. Lindsay despatched a barge with 50 men on shore to seize a supply of sheep from the adjacent pastures. Repulsed in this attempt, the barge was next ordered to Squam Harbor to capture Capt. Lane's deeply laden schooner, supposed by Lindsay to be a West Indiaman. Upon boarding the craft, she was found to be laden with nothing but sand. Disappointed again in seizing what he supposed to be a valuable cargo of West Indian products, Capt. Lindsay continued his depredations in adjacent parts. He bombarded for several hours the town of Gloucester, Aug. 8, 1775. The fire of the "Falcon" was directed principally upon the meeting-house and caused

considerable damage to the building. Capt. Joseph Rogers with his company of minute men, aided by Col. Joseph Foster, met the enemy, captured four boats, a small tender, a prize schooner, and forty men, and compelled the "Falcon" to withdraw.

A company under Capt. John Lane had been stationed all summer somewhere on Cape Ann, for the defense of the sea coast. But Capt. John Lane does not appear to have been engaged in the affair with Lindsay and therefore probably was not near the scene of action. In September this company was supplied with wood and barracks by the town. It suffered in some degree from the non-payment of wages, but in November was allowed to draw clothing from the public stores.—*J. J. Babson.*

Capt. Gideon Lane removed to Casco Bay, Me., about 1780. Harraseeket, the northeast part of ancient North Yarmouth and Grout's Gore were incorporated as the town of Freeport, Me., Feb. 14, 1789. Capt. Lane settled on Pleasant Hill near Mast Landing. He paid Ozias Blanchard, Esq., and others $200.00, June 23, 1800, for 50 acres of land, the northerly half of Lot 39, Range E, in Freeport, formerly included in No. Yarmouth. He and wife Lydia sold 12 1-2 acres of this lot for $500.00 to his son Peter Lane of Freeport, May 2, 1803; the remainder and another lot he sold to Gideon Lane, Jr., of Gloucester, mariner, for $800.00, June 25, 1813. He bought of Thomas Burrell, Nov. 5, 1801, 34 acres of land in Freeport, an undivided half of Lot 39, Range E, with half of house and half of barn thereon; this estate he and wife sold to Peter Lane for $400.00, May 7, 1803. He and wife, Lydia, sold 12 acres and 128 rods of lot No. 39, Range E, in Freeport, to Joshua Webb for $153.60, May 24, 1808.

Capt. Gideon Lane d. at Pleasant Hill, Freeport, Me., 6 Oct., 1813, æ. 76 years.

Lydia Lane, widow, quit claim to Thomas Bicknell for $20.00, Mar. 11, 1817, all right of dower in certain lands in Freeport.

Children:

49. I. GIDEON Jr.[5], b. Annisquam, 14, bap. 16 Dec., 1764, m. HANNAH GRIFFIN.

II. MARY[5], b. 6 Sept., 1766.

III. PRISCILLA[5], b. 23, bap. 29 Aug., 1768, ent. int. of m. 5 Sept., and m. 13 Nov., 1789, by Rev. Eli Forbes, NATHANIEL GRIFFIN, Jr., and lived at Annisquam; m. second Mr. HARRADEN, and lived at Squamscott, Mass. Priscilla (Lane) Griffin was one of the earliest converts of Rev. John Murray. Her dau. Mrs. Mary P. Lewis, who lived and died in Lynn, Mass., was one of the early members of the First Universalist society there.

IV. ESTHER[5], b. 3 Dec., 1770, bap. 3 Feb., 1771, ent. int. of m. 20 Dec., 1790, with ASA WOODBURY of Gloucester, and lived at Annisquam.

50. V. MARTHA[5], b. Squam Harbor, 20, bap. 27 Dec., 1772, m. MOSES SOULE.

51. VI. JOHN BABSON[5], bap. 18 Dec., 1774, m. SARAH WINSLOW.

52. VII. PETER[5], bap. 27 Dec., 1776, m. EXPERIENCE BICKNELL.

By second marriage:

VIII. RACHEL[5], b. Freeport, 23 Mar., 1781, m. Mr. PIERSON.

IX. ANNA[5], b. 16 Apr., 1785, m. NATHANIEL ADDITON, of Freeport.

X. BETSEY[5], b. 18 Sept., 1787, m. 17 May, 1807, JOSHUA WEBB.

20.

BENJAMIN LANE[4] (Benj.[3], John[2], James[1]), 1727–1805, b. Gloucester, Mass.. 23 Nov., 1727; entered intention of m. 28 Oct., 1749, with HANNAH LANE[4] (Samuel[3,2], James[1]). He bought land in Gloucester, Mass., 1752, and removed to New Gloucester, Me., 1770, where he again ent. int. of m., 23 Sept., 1780, with MRS. SARAH POOL, who d. 30 Mar., 1840, æ. 82 years.

Many Gloucester families perpetuated the name of the home they left, in the town of New Gloucester on Royal's river in Maine. The first meeting of the sixty Gloucester proprietors was Apr. 27, 1736, and the same year, Mass. Gen. Court granted them a township six miles square. Pioneers located first in present Gorham and Gray, Me. Others selected a site further to the northwest which the Gen. Court confirmed to them, July 5, 1737, and to which a road was brushed out, on the east side of Royal's river from Cousin's river in North Yarmouth. The proprietors met again in Feb., 1738, set apart three lots for public purposes, divided sixty lots among themselves and provided for building a saw mill on "Stevens Brook" within two years, calling the township New Gloucester. The settlement began in the spring of 1739. Families of settlers were brought from Mass. to North Yarmouth by a vessel in the fall of 1742, and from thence poled up Royal's river on rafts to the great bridge,

but the governor ordered the settlers off on account of Indian troubles in 1744 to 1749. The permanent settlement at New Gloucester dates from 1756. In 1758 a grist mill was completed in connection with the saw mill. In 1760, the mills were moved to the great falls on Royal's river. Their block house became to them a home, a fort, a church. The church was organized and Rev. Samuel Foxcroft, ordained, Jan. 16, 1765. It was reported that they had "a jolly ordination and lost sight of decorum." In 1770 sixty-one persons subscribed to build a meeting-house but the town languished till its incorporation, Sept. 7, 1774.

Benjamin Lane bought of Peter Graffan, Sept. 11, 1770, the 60 acre lot No. 60 in the supplement to Division 2, New Gloucester, on which he settled. The same year Benjamin Lane, Ebenezer Lane and Daniel Lane subscribed 10 pounds each toward building the meeting-house. Benjamin Lane paid Micah Walker of Bakerstown, 5 pounds, Jan. 8, 1782, for "the floor or ground Pew number five in the meeting House in New Gloucester, being the most Easterly Corner Pew." He was party to conveyance of land, Feb. 8, 1782, Nov. 25, 1788, June 4, and June 25, 1790. He died about 1805.—*Cumb. Co. Deeds.*

Children:

I. NATHANIEL[5], b. 10, bap. 23 Sept., 1750, m. 8 June, 1780, by Rev. John Rogers, LYDIA LANE[5] (Caleb[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]). He sold to Samuel True for $100.00, Aug. 7, 1805, one-eighth part of Lot 7, supplement 2d division, which fell to him by the estate of Benjamin Lane, late of New Gloucester.

53. II. BENJAMIN[5], bap. 1 Dec., 1752, m. SARAH DAVIS and ELIZABETH NORWOOD.

54. III. ELIPHALET[5], bap. 8 Sept., 1754, m. RUTH PACOR.

IV. ZEPHANIAH[5], bap. 29 Aug., 1756.

V. HANNAH[5], bap. 12 Feb., 1758.

VI. JOHN[5], bap. 4 Oct., 1759, "killed in an engagement with a British ship mounting twenty guns. Six others were killed and ten wounded. He was a very promising youth aged 19 years, the first that had been killed belonging to Gloucester since the commencement of the unnatural war between Great Britain and the United States, which commenced April 19, 1775."—*Annisquam Church Record.*

55. VII. SAMUEL[5], bap. 20 Sept., 1761, m. POLLY DWINELL, DOROTHY HASKELL and BETSEY EVERLETH.

VIII. JOSHUA[5], bap. 2 Oct., 1763, by Rev. Ebenezer Cleaveland, mustered with Capt. Isaac Parson's New Gloucester Co., Col. Prince's Reg., under Gen. Wadsworth, May, 1780, for eight months' service at Thomaston, Me.

IX. SUSANNA[5], bap. 9 Feb., 1766, by Rev. John Wyeth, m. 9 Feb., 1807, BENJAMIN HART of Portsmouth, N. H., and had:

1. *Susanna*, bap. 24 July, 1808, at Gloucester, Mass.

X. BETTY[5], bap. 3 June, 1770.

21.

JONATHAN LANE[4] (Benj.[3], John[2], James[1]), 1731–1803, b. Gloucester, Mass., 2, bap. 10 Oct., 1731, by Rev. Benjamin Bradstreet; residence, Annisquam, Mass.; bought land of Caleb Woodbury, Jr., Apr. 12, 1762. He first ent. int. of m. 15 Nov., 1755, with LYDIA ROBINSON; ent. int. second, 30 Nov., 1765, and m. 17 Jan., 1766, by Rev. Ebenezer Cleaveland, ESTHER STANIFORD; m. third, 13 Jan., 1775, by Rev. Obadiah Parsons, BETSEY WHALEN, m. n. Butman.

Jonathan Lane and Betsey Whalen, his third wife, were admitted to the church in Annisquam, Jan. 13, 1778. She d. his widow in Sept., 1808.

Administration on his estate was granted to Jonathan Lane, his son, Jan. 2, 1804. Inventory taken Jan. 14, and returned Feb. 6, 1804, included a dwelling house in Annisquam parish near Lane's Cove; total $1173.90. Committee appointed Feb. 6, to set off dower to Betty Lane, made return Dec. 26, 1804. The estate was apportioned to two sons—to Jonathan Lane, he paying legacies to daughters Lydia Phipps, Esther Sargent and Dorcas Lane, and to Moses Lane, he paying legacies to Sally Lane and Dorcas Lane.

Children:

I. LYDIA[5], bap. 18 June, 1780, ent. int. of m. 10 Dec., 1796, with AMOS PHIPPS, and gave receipt Feb. 8, 1805, to Jonathan Lane, adm. of her father's estate.

56. II. JONATHAN[5], b. 18 June, 1780, m. RACHEL GROVER and SALLY GOWIN.

57. III. MOSES[5], b. 14 Dec., 1781, m. OLIVE LOVE and MARY FELLOWS.

IV. ESTHER[5], ent. int. of m. 15 Oct., 1803, with SAMUEL SARGENT, Jr.; gave receipt, Feb. 18, 1805, for portion of her father's estate; was killed by being thrown from a wagon, 1861, æ. 78 yrs. A daughter:

1. *Charlotte*, b. 1827, m. 20 Jan., 1847, *Allen Lane*[6] (Jonathan[5·4], Benj.[3], John[2], James[1]).

V. DORCAS[5], a minor, age 16, her brother Jonathan Lane was appointed her guardian, Feb. 6, 1804. She gave receipt for her portion of her father's real and personal estate, Jan. 18, 1806; ent. int. of m. 24, and m. 25 June, 1805, by Rev. Ezra Learned, PETER W. GRIFFIN; m. second, WILLIAM HARRADEN.

VI. SALLY[5], a minor, age 14, Jonathan Lane was appointed her guardian Feb. 6, 1804; m. 18 Dec., 1806, by Rev. Ezra Learned, SIMEON SAUNDERS; receipted for her portion of her father's estate, Jan. 16, 1807. Children:

1. *Simeon*. 2. *Reuben*. 3. *William*. William Saunders of Gloucester, and *Hannah Lane* of Gloucester, ent. int., 31 Mar., were pub. 2 Apr., and m. 23 Apr., 1853, by Rev. Daniel Tilton of Rockport. 4. *Louisa*, m. *Henry W. Lane*[7], (John[6], David[5·4], John[3·2], James[1]). 5. *Sarah*. 6. *Joseph*. 7 and 8. *Leonard* and *Lewis*, twins. 9. *Levi*. 10. *Elbridge*. 11. *Sarah*.

22.

HEZEKIAH LANE[4] (Benj.[3], John[2], James[1]), b. 31 Mar., bap. 2 Apr., 1738, at Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass. He ent. int. of m. 22 Dec., 1759, and m. 15 Jan., 1760, MARTHA GOTT, by Rev. Ebenezer Cleaveland. They lived in Rockport, Mass.

Record of Fifth Parish. "auGust the 11 Day 1778 in Parish Meeting assembled. Deacon Rowe Mr Jonathan Pool Mr Hesakiah Lane Chosen to treet with Mr CleaueLand to Come or Send an answer to the Parish before the adjurnment of the meeting."

Hezekiah Lane bought land in Rockport, of Joshua Tarr, June 17, 1783.

Children:

I. HEZEKIAH[5], bap. 28 Dec., 1760, m. 8 Nov. 1781, by Rev. E. Forbes, MOLLY GAMMAGE.

II. OLIVER[5], bap. 17 Oct., 1762, by Rev. Ebenezer Cleaveland, at Sandy Bay, now Rockport.

III. MARTHA[5], bap. 13 Oct., 1765, at Sandy Bay.

IV. OLIVER[5], bap. 11 Nov., 1767.

58. V. ABNER[5], bap. 19 Aug., 1769, perhaps the Abner Lane of Pennsylvania.

VI. ABEL[5], bap. 16 Aug., 1772.

VII. CALVIN[5], bap. Nov., 1774.

VIII. LYDIA[5], bap. 11 May, 1777, removed to Sedgwick, Me.

IX. JOHN CALVIN,[5], bap. 18 July, 1779.

23.

JOSEPH LANE[4] (Benjamin[3], John[2], James[1]), 1745–1828, was bap. in Gloucester, Mass., 8 Sept., 1745, and lived in the Fifth Parish of Gloucester, now Rockport, Mass.

"March the 24 Day 1767 at a Parish meeting Maid Chois of Joseph Lane Edmund Grover Jonathan Pool for Moneters."

"November the 8 Day 1775. At Payrish meeting Lawfully assembled then Maid Choice of Francis Pool mr John Rowe Jr. and Joseph Lane as a Committe to prouid a school Master also to Mend the Meeting house."

"Jenuary the twelfth Day 1775 [6] at Parish Meeting. Mr Joseph Lane Thomas Rowe Daniel Young chosen Moneters."

Joseph Lane was a soldier in Capt. John Rowe's Gloucester company of minute men at the battle of Bunker Hill, June 17, 1775. The company marched from Gloucester, on Monday, June 12th, and, reaching Mystic river on the 16th, were with the forces that threw up the redoubt on Breed's Hill. In the engagement next day, part of the company were at the redoubt and a part were ordered to the extreme left wing of the Provincial troops on the bank of Mystic river under Major McCleary. They retreated that night to Ploughed Hill. Capt. Rowe had three of his men killed and three wounded. Such was their exploit on the great day of the 17th of June, 1775.—*J. J. Babson.*

Joseph Lane was First Lieutenant in Capt. William Parson's company, Col. Joseph Foster's regiment, Jan. 1, 1776.

Copy:

"GLOUCESTER, May 9, 1776.

LIEUT. LANE:

Sir—You are hereby ordered and requested forthwith to march with the party of five men under your command whose names are as follows: Daniel Haraden, John Atkins, Caleb Lane, Joseph Somes and Joseph Davis to Squam, where you are to keep a watch at the entrance of the harbor night and day, which watch is to be properly released at your discretion; you are to give said watch orders to inform you if they discover any vessels or boats that attempt to land on that shore, or that appear to be an enemy; after you have inquired into such information as you may receive from the watch, if you judge it needful you are to fire three guns to alarm the inhabitants there and send one of your party to me with an account of what occasioned the alarm, after which you are to endeavor to prevent the enemy from landing. You are furthermore to visit the watch at the Cape and Chebacco side under Corporals Brown and Emerton once a week or oftener, and see if they keep a good watch agreeable to the orders they have received from me, which you are to demand when you visit said watches and see if these men attend their duty, and make return to me every Tuesday when you send for your allowance of provisions. Fail not.

JOSEPH FOSTER.

N. B. You are to practice your party in ye manuel exercise all opportunies."

Lt. Joseph Lane m. 19 Mar., 1767, by Rev. Ebenezer Cleaveland, RACHEL ROWE. He ent. int. of m. 3 July, 1775, with SARAH DAVIS, and witnessed with her to sale of land by Benjamin Lane of Poland, Me., Oct. 6, 1807. He died Nov., 1828, æ. 83 years.

Children:

I. RACHEL[5], b. 22, bap. 27 Dec., 1767.

II. DELIVERANCE[5], b. 19, bap. 23 Apr., 1769.

59. III. JOSEPH[5], b. 8, bap. 25 Nov., 1770, m. BETSEY JEWETT.

IV. MARY BAKER[5], b. 26, bap. 31 Jan., 1773.

V. JUDITH[5] b. 16, bap. 19 Feb., 1775.

24.

EBENEZER LANE[4] (Job[3], John[2], James[1]), 1742–1828, bap. Gloucester, Mass., 4 July, 1742, and when a young man sailed as

a shipmaster from the port of Cape Ann. "March the 29 Day at a Parish Meeting in the 5 Parish in Glocester. Edmund Grover Ebenezer Lane Henry witham chosen Moneters. Ebenezer Lane Chosen and sworn to the office of Collector."

Ebenezer Lane bought of his brother, Andrew Lane, both fishermen of Gloucester, and Co. of Essex, for 18 pounds, Dec. 12, 1768, lot No. 20 of the second division by the proprietors of New Gloucester, Co. of Cumberland. The northerly half of this lot he sold to Ebenezer Lane, Jr., then living on it, for $500, July 26, 1808. The southerly half, his wife, Eunice, relinquishing right of dower, he sold to Abbe and Grosvenor, traders of New Gloucester, Apr. 21, 1809.

Ebenezer Lane of Gloucester, Co. of Essex. paid Nathaniel Allen, Esq. of said Gloucester, his wife Sarah relinquishing right of dower, 20 pounds, July 1, 1769, for "A Tract or Parcel of Land at a Place called New Gloucester, containing sixty Acres or thereabouts." This was lot No. 11 in 2d Division, on which Ebenezer Lane was the first settler and among the subscribers of £10 towards the meeting-house in 1770. This estate he conveyed to his son, Job Lane, for $500, Jan. 11, 1808, receiving a life lease of it for which he was to pay 1 cent annually, Dec. 4, 1808. He sold it to Job Lane for $1, Dec. 4, 1809, and took it into his possession again, paying Job and Polly Lane $500 for it, Apr. 12, 1815. It was included in his estate with his dwelling-house standing on it, when settled by Job Lane administrator, June 28, 1828.

Ebenezer Lane bought land in the "Fifth Parish, Gloucester, of Thomas Harris, Nov. 24, 1770."

Ebenezer Lane paid Elkanah Lucas, 21 pounds, 7 shillings, 8 pence, Feb. 8, 1782, for 13 1-2 acres of unimproved land, the 60 acre lot No. 10, Division 2, in New Gloucester. He paid Joel Haskell $500 for the remainder of the lot, Oct. 30, 1799. He conveyed it to his son, William Lane, Apr. 31, 1804, and, after William's death, to his daughter, Sally, Jan. 14, 1808, "in consideration of the natural love and affection I have unto my beloved Daughter Sally Bridgham and divers other good causes." He leased this property for life from Alden and Sally Bridgham paying them 10 cents annually, June 14, 1808, and bought it again of Joseph E. Foxcroft, Esq., for $535, Dec. 26, 1814.

Ebenezer Lane was one of the associates with Abijah Buck which paid the Massachusetts committee for conveying unappropriated lands in the counties of York, Cumberland and Lincoln, £1632, 17s, 10d, Nov. 13, 1788, for the township of Bucktown or No. 5, containing about 23023 acres, "reserving 200 acres for the use of the ministry, 200 for the first settled minister, 280 for the use of a Grammar school, and 200 acres for the further disposition of the General Court, also 100 acres to a number of first settlers, 47 in all."

Ebenezer Lane paid William Bridgham physician, 35 pounds for 50 acres of unimproved land in New Gloucester, June 14, 1790. This land he mortgaged to Job Lane of Pejepscot for $700, Dec. 4, 1808.

Ebenezer Lane of Gloversboro, in the County of Cumberland, paid a committee appointed by the General Court of Massachusetts to sell unappropriated lands, 1 pound, 6 shillings, 6 pence, specie, and 1 pound, 5 shillings, 3 pence, consolidated notes of said commonwealth, June 25, 1790, for 100 acres of land in the Plantation of Gloversboro, including improvements by said Ebenezer Lane. He sold this land to James Johnstone for 90 pounds, in May, 1795. Acknowledged Sept. 2, 1795.

Ebenezer Lane of New Gloucester, paid Edward Pool of Gloucester, 46 pounds, 4 shillings, 6 pence, May 10, 1793, for 50 acres of land in the Co. of Cumberland, part of the 8th division, above Pownaldborough on the Pejepscot claim. Ebenezer Lane, innholder, sold this land to Alden Bridgham for 50 pounds, Nov. 29, 1797.

Ebenezer Lane, Ebenezer Lane, Jr., and Job Lane, all of New Gloucester, paid Thomas Bayley $800, that is 1-4 of said sum by Ebenezer Lane, 1-4 by Ebenezer Lane, Jr., and the other half by Job Lane, July 4, 1796, for 47 acres of land in Poland, it being part of lot No. 47 in the first division, together with half of the saw-mill and grist-mill and one-half of the stream, yard, roads, conveniences . . . etc., standing on said lot 47. The same party paid $120, Sept. 4, 1796, for another part of Lot 47, Division 1, in Bakerstown.

Ebenezer Lane, innholder, bought out the interest of Ebenezer Lane, Jr., and his wife, Peggy Lane, in this property for $500, Nov. 4, 1806.

Ebenezer Lane, innholder, Ebenezer Lane, Jr. and Job Lane paid George Erskine $300, Dec. 16, 1799, for 100 acres of land in Poland.

Ebenezer Lane, innholder, paid Nathaniel Ingersol $250, May 29, 1802, for lot No. 28, Minot. He sold the same lot to Job Lane for $950, Dec. 27, 1806.

Ebenezer Lane paid John Glover $400, Feb. 24, 1803, for the 200 acre lots No. 5 and 6 and for a gore of land lying between the towns of New Gloucester, Gray and Raymondtown.

Ebenezer Lane, innholder, and Ebenezer Lane, Jr., sold to Job Lane for $114, Jan. 11, 1806, 50 acres of lot 72, proprietors division, partly in Minot and partly in Poland.

Ebenezer Lane bought of Ebenezer Lane, Jr., for $500, Aug. 7, 1807, land and other "claims which I possess in the right of my wife to the estate of Peter Graffam."

Ebenezer Lane paid Edward Bailey $300, and Josiah Bailey $784, Sept. 11, 1811, for Lots 117, 146, 147, 150, Division 2, in Poland.

The name of Ebenezer Lane appears 27 times in transfers of real estate from 1807 to 1828.

The homestead of Ebenezer Lane on which the dwelling-house of said Ebenezer stood, was sold by his son, Job Lane, administrator, to William Haskell for $282, June 28, 1828.—*Essex and Cumb. Co. Deeds.*

Ebenezer Lane was among the first settlers of New Gloucester, Me. He was farmer, land and mill owner, and noted taverner, known as "Inkeeper."

He went to Maine while real and also imaginary fears of Indians still disturbed the dwellers. Jabez True and Ebenezer Lane were once travelling together on the lowlands near Royal's river. Mr. True was surprised and felt sure that he heard the Indians approaching them. He said to Mr. Lane that he could hear them say, "Mr. Jabez True I am as big a man as you, you, you." Then Mr. Lane was startled and sure that he could hear them say, "Mr. Ebenezer Lane I will stab you with my tomahawk and club you with my cane, cane, cane." Now these gentlemen, in their trepidation, were sure that they heard the Indians challenge, but it turned out to be nothing but bullfrogs in the river.

Journal: Thomas Fisk of Oxford, Mass., went with Lieut. Livermore, to the Androscoggin river, Maine, in 1773, to survey and lay out roads in the township of Livermore. The party reached Falmouth by vessel, May 2, 1773.

"3d Traveld Eleven miles . . . . Loged at North Casco.

4th Traveld 4 miles.

5th traveled to Little Amascoggen 9 miles, waded the river.

6 Day began to clear our Road.

13 crost the Twenty mile River.

14 Rany. Encampt on the East side of 20 mile River.

15 Lieut. Livermore and I sett out to view the Land for the Rod In To our Township, about 15 miles the way we went.

21 Set out to goe for stores, . . . to Mr. Lanes; arived thare jest before Knight.

22 Day Set out, heavy Loads upon our Backs. But we had one cag we caled the Bull, which helpt us cary the Rest—at Euery Spring Bluded the Bull. We come Twelve mile and Night came on.

23 Sunday, arrived at our camp this morning.

June 10, Thursday Traviled in to Lieut. Livermores . . . . Returned again to camp.

13 Day Sunday Set out to Wintrop.

14 Day Monday set out at one of the clock to mark oure Road to poart Royal and at Knight campt by great anderascoggin pond.

17 this afternoon packed up our things for marching home—about the Sun Set foure miles on our gorney.

18 Fryday got into Mr. Laines about the middle of the afternoon and refreshed ourselves and Rested our Selves at Little andrew Scroggan River.

19 Saturday crost the River . . . . Traveled to Mr. Winslows in North casko and Loged thare.

20 Sunday at falmouth afternoon went to church.

Ebenezer Lane entered intention of m. 19 Mar., 1762, with MARY PRESTON, who d. 5 Jan., 1808, æ. 69 years. His

second wife was EUNICE DODD of North Yarmouth, Me., with whom he ent. int. of m. 16 July, 1808. He d. 1828.

Children:

60. I. EBENEZER, Jr.[5], b. Gloucester, Mass., 5, bap. at Sandy Bay, 19 June, 1763, m. MARGARET GRAFFAM.

61. II. JOB[5], bap. at Sandy Bay, 23 June, 1765, m. POLLY GIDDINGE.

III. ANNA MARIA[5], b. 13, bap. 15 Nov., 1767, m. ANDREW ROBINSON GIDDINGE; he b. Gloucester, Mass., 22 Sept., 1763, son of Capt. Andrew and Elizabeth (Davis) Giddings, and descendant of George Giddings who came from St. Albans, Hertfordshire, England, to Ipswich, Mass., in 1635. A. R. Giddings, Esq., was a prominent citizen of Danville, Me., (then a part of Pejepscot grant) in 1787, where his first wife died, 12 Dec., 1798, æ 31 years, and he died 22 June, 1847. Four children:

1. *Andrew R.*, Jr., m. *Deborah Tarbox* of New Gloucester, and d. 14 Feb., 1871, æ. 79 years.
2. *Anna*, m. 1816, Col. *Nathaniel L. Ingersol* of New Gloucester, and d. 23 Apr., 1837, leaving six children.
3. *Betsey*, d. 22 Nov., 1818, æ. 22 years.
4. *Richard*, d. young.

IV. ABIGAIL LANE[5], dau. of Ebenezer and Mary Grover, bap. March 29, 1768.—*Rockport Record.*

V. SARAH[5], bap. 2 Dec., 1770, m. ALDEN BRIDGCOME. She received from her father, Jan. 14, 1808, Lot 10, Division 2, in New Gloucester, "in consideration of natural love and affection I have unto my beloved Daughter, Sally Bridgham and divers other good causes moving me."—*Deeds 57 : 35.* Four children:

1. *Sally*, m. Mr. *Woodman*, and had one son.
2. *Anna*, m. first, *Theophilus Miller* of Durham, Me., and had three children; m. second, *Robert Bowey* of Lisbon, Me., had two children and was living in 1887 at the age of 100 years.
3. *Hannah*, m. Maj. *Arnold.* Residence Bangor, Me.
4. *Mary*, not m., lived with her sister, Mrs. Miller.

VI. POLLY[5], d. July, 1788, æ. 10 years.

VII. WILLIAM[5], b. 1781, bought of his father, Ebenezer Lane, for 100 pounds, Apr. 3, 1804, 60 acre lot No. 10, Division 2, and

also 50 acres of unimproved land in New Gloucester.—*Deeds 44 : 201.* He d. unm. 22 Sept., 1805, in the 25th year of his age.—*44 : 201.*

VIII. BETSEY[5], d. 7 Apr., 1803, æ. 20 yrs., 6 ms.

25.

ANDREW LANE[4] (Job[3], John[2], James[1]), 1746–1791, bap. at Gloucester, Mass., 6 Feb., 1745–6, moved with his parents in childhood to Sandy Bay, now Rockport, Mass. He settled on the homestead, was styled captain, and m. first by Rev. Ebenezer Cleaveland, 14 Dec., 1769, MARY TARR; m. second, intention entered 22 Mar., 1777, SARAH STORY of Ipswich, Mass.

He paid Nathaniel Allen of Gloucester, Mar. 12, 1768, 18 pounds for one 60 acre lot No. 20, 2d Division, at New Gloucester, Me., and sold the lot to Ebenezer Lane, his brother, for 18 pounds, Dec. 12, 1768. He bought land of Job Lane, Nov. 28, 1768, and made twelve other purchases of land between 1770 and 1789. He was twice grantor of real estate in Maine to Ebenezer Lane, about 1772.

Fifth Parish Gloucester, now Rockport. "March the 20 Day 1770 at Parish Meeting clered Mr andrew Lane from being Collector. Caleb Pool Junr chosen Collecter in Rome of Mr Lane."

"March the 19 1772. At Parish Meeting Mr Andrew Lane chosen Parish Collecter and sworn."

"1778 March the 26 Day at Parish Meeting assembelled. andrew Lane James Parsons Edmund Grover DeCon Row BenJamin Hail Chosen Parish [as] Sessers and Parish Commtte also."

"Gloucester Jenuary the 4th Day 1779 in Parish meeting AsSembled. Ebenezer Grouer andrew Lane Joseph Thurston 3 Chosen moneters for said meeting."

"September 25 Day 1780 in Parish meeting assembeled. Maid Choice of Mr Francis Pool Mr andrew Lane and Capt Mark Pool a Committ to Settel with all the old Collecters and treasurers and to Settel with Mr CleaueLands attoruney the whole that is Due to him and to take a reCept in full for the same."

"September 5 Day 1781 Voted to Mr Francis Pool Andrew Lane Capt

Mark Pool a Committe to Settel with all the old Collecters and treasurers and to Settel with and Pay of mr CleaueLand his whole Due."

"Glouster March 18th 1782 The Parish mate. Caleb Norwood & Stephen Pool & Andrew Lane Chosen parish Comite & parish assesers also."

"July the 3 1786. at the Parish Meeting Assembled Chose Capt Mark Pool Leut Ben. Tarr & Andw Lane Parish Committe & Sessors for th Current year & Sworn."

Capt Andrew Lane died in 1791, æ. 45 years. Administration on his estate was granted to Sarah Lane, July 4, 1791. Inventory taken, Dec. 10, 1791, returned, Feb. 6, 1792, included dwelling-house formerly belonging to Mr. Job Lane deceased, barn, cattle, tillage, pasture and woodland, fish-house at Long cove, Sandy Bay, flakes, sheep-shear boat of about ten tons. Dower was set off to his widow, Sarah Lane, now Todd, Jan. 4, 1802. Account of administration was allowed Apr. 5, 1802. A son, Charles, had died and the estate was apportioned to the other children, Sally Clark, Nancy Tarr, Andrew Lane, Lucy Lane, Polly Woodbury and George Lane.

Children:

I. MOLLY[5], b. 2 Apr., bap. 26 Aug., 1770.

II. ANDREW[5], b. 26 July, bap. 8 Aug., 1772.

By second marriage:

62. III. ANDREW[5], bap. 14 June, 1778, m. DORCAS POOLE.

63. IV. GEORGE[5], b. 13, bap. 27 Feb., 1780, m. LUCY TARR and SALLY GOSS.

V. SALLY[5], bap. 1782, ent. int. of m. 20 Dec., 1799, with HENRY CLARK of Gloucester, Mass.

VI. CHARLES[5], bap. 20 July, 1788, d. before his father.

VII. NANCY[5], ent. int. of m. 26 Apr., 1800, with CHARLES TARR of Gloucester.

VIII. LUCY[5], a minor, age 16, had guardian John Lees appointed Feb. 1, 1802.

IX. POLLY[5], m WALTER WOODBURY, pub. 3, and m. 29 Nov., 1788, by Rev. Eli Forbes.

26.

SAMUEL LANE[4] (Samuel[3·2], James[1]), 1723–1804, b. Gloucester, Mass., 7 July, bap. 4 Aug., 1723, by Rev. John White of First church, Gloucester. He m. 17 May, 1743, by Rev. Benjamin Bradstreet, DELIVERANCE POOL, m. n. Giddings, wid. of Joshua, son of John Pool. They lived at Gloucester Harbor. She d. 5 June, 1768, æ. 61 years. He bought land at Gloucester of Daniel Rogers, Mar. 31, 1790. Adm. on goods and estate of Samuel Lane, late of Gloucester, mariner, was granted to Henry Bates, Mar. 27, 1804.

Children:

64. I. STEPHEN[5], b. 8 Aug., bap. 2 Oct., 1743, m. ANN HASKELL.

II. JOSEPH[5], bap. 16 Mar., 1745–6.

III. GIDDINGS[5], bap. 28 Aug., 1747.

IV. JOHN[5], b. 20, bap. 26 Aug., 1750.

V. ABIGAIL[5], b. 9 Nov., bap. 9 Dec., 1753 or 4.

VI. TIMOTHY[5], b. 8, bap. 13 Feb., 1757.

VII. JUDITH[5], b. 15, bap. 23 July, 1758.

VIII. TAMMY[5], bap. 3 Aug., 1760; ent. int. of m. 17 June, and m. 30 June, 1786, WILLIAM ALLEN; he b. Gloucester, 24 Apr., 1758. Children b. in Gloucester:

1. *George*, b. 14 Nov., 1786, d. at sea.
2. *Nabby Lane*, b. 4 Sept., 1788.
3. *Emily*, b. 27 July, 1790.

27.

ZEBULON LANE[4] (Samuel[3·2], James[1]) b. Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., 1 July, 1729, ent. int. of m. 29 Mar., 1750, with HANNAH COGSWELL of Ipswich, Mass., res. Gloucester Harbor.

"Zebu. Lane and wife spent the evening here. 1755, March 12. Went to see Zeb. Lanes wife who is infirm."—*Journal of Rev. Samuel Chandler.*

Mr. Lane was a soldier in Capt. Abraham Dodge's Ipswich Co., April, May and June, 1775. The company was encamped within sight of Bunker Hill with a number of men voluntarily in the fight.

"Prospect Hill, Dec. 29, 1775. Rec'd of Capt. Abraham Dodge the Sum of Twenty five Shillings for my Coat money. Each of us whose names are hear under Sined who Belongs to the s^d Dodge's Company in the Continental armey:

ZEBELEN LANE," 16 names.

Children:

I. DANIEL[5], bap. 7 July, 1751, by Rev. John White, First church, Gloucester.

II. HANNAH[5], bap. 18 Nov., 1753.

III. ANNA[5], bap. 28 Sept., 1755, ent. int. of m. 25 Nov., 1784, with STEPHEN HASKELL.

28.

DANIEL LANE[4] (Samuel[3.2], James[1]), was born in Gloucester, Mass., and baptized 5 Jan., 1734–5. He entered intention of marriage, 14 Sept., and m. 17 Sept., 1761, MARY LANE, by Rev. Ebenezer Cleaveland of the Fifth parish, Gloucester. Daniel Lane was a blacksmith by trade and moved to New Gloucester, Me., where, in 1770, he subscribed £10 towards building the meeting-house, and where with wife, Mary, he sold to Joseph Lane, Jr., of Gloucester, Mass., for £30, 13, 4, Jan. 1, 1772, sixty acre lot, No. 5, in supplement to 2d Division, New Gloucester. He was of Bakerstown, Me., Aug. 18, 1773, and bought of Samuel Gerrish of Newbury, Mass., one-half of a hundred acre lot, No. 68, upon Little Androscoggin river. He was the second settler in Minot, Me., 1773.

Daniel Lane entered the Naval service from Gloucester, Mass., as a privateer in the war of the Revolution and was taken captive to England. When sick on board the ship Buford of 70 guns, he was ordered by its humane British commander, George Bowyers, Feb. 15, 1777, to be transfered to the royal

hospital, Plymouth, England, and remained in hospital from April 1, to May 7, 1777.—*Gen. Reg. 32: 43, 44.* The crew of sloop Charming Polly was captured, May 16, 1777, and committed to Mill Prison in Plymouth harbor, and Daniel Lane was reported "escaped." Capt. John Lane sailed from Newburyport, Mass., in the brigantine Fancy, and was captured by the British, Aug. 7, 1777, his crew committed to prison and Daniel Lane was "exchanged." Among the prisoners remaining in Old Mill, Feb. 7, 1779, were Capt. John Lane and Daniel Lane, who was transfered to Forten Gaol about one mile out of Portsmouth, England, Apr. 19, 1779, and reported "dead." Tradition relates how Daniel Lane dug out of prison under ground of the street and was given a shirt by a friendly Englishman, in which he escaped and was afterwards robed for burial. Joseph Appleby of Rowley, Mass., was a soldier in Capt. Daniel Lane's company, Col. Brooks' 7th Regiment Continental Army pay accounts for service from Feb. 28, 1778, to Dec. 31, 1779.

After his service in the Revolution, Mr. Lane was styled "Captain" and returned to his family at Leeds, Me. Here he sold the Gerrish place, May 2, 1781, to John Platt of Andover Mass.—*Cumb. Co. Deeds.*

He was a remarkably fine workman in iron and wood, and some nicely constructed scales made by him were stored in the attic of his son, Peter Lane's house, as late as 1820. His widow died at the home of their son, Peter, her honey-dish on the top shelf of the cupboard being the source of many sweet lunches for the grandchildren. Five sons settled on adjoining farms on the west side of Androscoggin Lake and a sixth son, the next Range south.

Children:

I. MARY[5], bap. Sandy Bay, Gloucester, Mass., 24 Oct., 1762, m. STEPHEN, son of Jonathan and Alice (Eastcott) ROWE of Danville, Me. Ten children.

65. II. DANIEL[5], bap. Annisquam, 21 Aug., 1763, m. EUNICE VERRILL and RUTH PLATT.

III. JUDITH[5], b. 22 Sept., bap. 13 Oct., 1765, m. Gloucester, Mass. She m. first, Capt. EDWARD JONES, a Revolutionary soldier; m. second, 1821, JOSEPH LEAVITT, and d. in Leeds, Me., 7 Jan., 1856. Children born in Leeds:

1. *Betsey*, b. 7 Apr., 1787, m. 9 July, 1807, *William A. Day.*
2. *Lydia*, b. 1 Mar., 1789, m. 25 Sept., 1806, *Benjamin Gilbert*, and d. 6 Apr., 1872.
3. *Isaac*, b. 20 Mar., 1791, m. 16 Aug., 1815, *Hannah Beals.*
4. *Sally*, b. 7 June, 1793.
5. *Judith*, b. 4 Oct., 1795, m. 30 Apr., 1815, *John Beals.*

6. *Edward*, b. 29 Dec., 1798, m. 16 Dec., 1820, *Fanny Lane*[6] (Giddings[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]). A child, Mary Ann, m. Capt. Nichols of Searsport, Me.
7. *Charlotte*, b. 15 May, 1800, m. 19 Dec., 1824, *Jesse Lane*[6] (Peter[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), and d. 9 Apr., 1881.
8. *Daniel L.*, m. 1833, *Samyntha Lane*[6] (Peter[5], Daniel[4]).
9. *Alfred*, never married.

66. IV. JAMES[5], b. 26 Sept., 1767, m. ABIGAIL LEADBETTER.

67. V. GIDDINGS[5], b. 5, bap. 27 May, 1770, m. JEMIMA NORRISS.

68. VI. ELIAS[5], bap. 19 Apr., 1772, m. MARY LAWRENCE and ABBIE BROWN.

VII. LYDIA[5], b. 3 Apr., 1774, m. 17 Jan., 1791, NATHANIEL, son of Jonathan and Martha (Springer) NORCROSS of Hallowell, Me., and d. 5 Mar., 1853. He b. in Bath, Me., 12 June, 1769, and d. 5 May, 1843. Nine children born in Hallowell:

1. *Polly* b. 5 July, 1795, m. *Ichabod Yeaton* of Richmond, Me., and had a large family.
2. *David*, b. 8 July, 1797, was drowned in Kennebec river when young.
3. *Adna*, b. 11 Mar., 1799, had 4 or 5 wives and many children.
4. *Philip*, b. 8 Dec., 1800, m. his cousin, *Judith Lane*[8] (Peter[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]).
5. *Gideon*, b. 26 June, 1804, twice m.
6. *Fanny*, b. 8 Mar., 1807, m. first, *John Abee*, second, *James Woodbridge*. No children.
7. *Livonia*, b. 22 Aug., 1809, m. *Rufus L. Choate*, had 7 children and d. 9 Aug., 1888.
8. *Oliver D.*, b. 7 Apr., 1811, m. *Diana Choate*, had 3 children and d. 29 Oct., 1888.
9. *Martha*, b. 11 Nov., 1812, m. first *George Riley*; second, ———, and had a large family in the West.

69. VIII. PETER[5], b. 1776, m. LOIS VERRILL and GRACE TURNER.

70. IX. SAMUEL[5], m. JUDITH VERRILL and FRANCES NYE.

29.

ISSACHER LANE[4], (Samuel[3,2], James[1]), was b. in Gloucester, Mass., 11, and bap. 17 June, 1739. He ent. int. of m. with MARY HODGKINS, 15 Mar., 1760.

Children born in Gloucester:

71. I. ISSACHER[5], bap. 21 Dec., 1760, at Fourth church, Gloucester, m. SUSAN HALL.

72. II. BENJAMIN[5] b. 31 July, bap. 1 Aug., 1762, m. MARGARET HALL.

III. JOSEPH[5], bap. 19 Aug., 1764.

IV. MARY[5], bap. 24 Aug., 1766.

30.

NICHOLAS LANE[5], (William[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), was born in Gloucester, Mass., 18 July, and bap. 6 Aug., 1749; served an apprenticeship as sailmaker together with his cousin Levi Lane[5] (Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]); m. 10 Mar., 1771, by Rev. S. Chandler, NANCY BEZOIL, dau. of William Bezoil. Mr. Lane appears to have been the sailmaker of Salem, Mass., who left widow, Mary, in 1815.

He was appointed guardian to his children, Dec. 4, 1804— to Lydia, age 17, Harriot, age 15, Priscilla, age 13, Anstice, age 11, and John, age 9. Lydia and Harriot each acknowledged the receipt of $100 from their father and guardian, Oct. 12, 1808. Administration on his estate was granted to William Lane of Salem, Oct. 30, 1815. Inventory, taken Dec. 15, 1815, and returned Jan. 2, 1816, included a mansion house and store with land. Mary Lane, widow, received allowance, Jan. 7, 1817. Anstice P. Lane and John Lane released the estate of their father and guardian, Aug. 23, 1817. Estate sold, May 12, 1817. Account of adm. accepted, May 19, 1818.

Children born in Salem, Mass.:

I. NANCY BEZOIL[6], bap. 10 Nov., 1771.

73. II. WILLIAM[6], bap. 14 Mar., 1773, m. ELIZABETH BROWN.

III. MARY[6], bap. 12 Mar., 1775.

IV. SARAH[6], m. NATHANIEL DELANO, son of William Delano; he b. in Pembroke, Mass., 6 Apr., 1777, and d. in Charlestown, Mass., 6 Oct., 1830. Their children:

1. *Sarah*, b. Salem, 26 June, 1800, m. *William Ross*.
2. *Nathaniel*, b. 14 July, 1801, m. *Sarah Gray Thompson*.
3. *Mary Lane*, b. 10 Nov., 1802, d. 3 Aug., 1809.
4. *Benjamin*, b. 7 May, 1803, m.

5. *William Lane*, b. 27 Nov., 1807, unm., d. in Boston, Mass.
6. *Nicholas Lane*, b. 27 Nov., 1807, m. *Anna Matilda Hill*, and d. Malden, Mass. Anna M. Lane, executrix, presented her first and final account, Jan. 11, 1893.
7. *Joseph*, b. Pembroke, 27 Oct., 1811, m. *Eliza Jane Hayden*.
8. *Ichabod*, b. Charlestown, 14 July, 1817, d. 18 July, 1817.

V. BETSEY[6], bap. North church, Salem, 11 Feb., 1781.

VI. LYDIA[6], bap. First church, 8 Sept., 1782.

By wife Mary, baptisms at East church, Salem:

VII. LYDIA[6], bap. 12 Mar., 1786.

VIII. HARRIET[6], bap. 4 Feb., 1788.

IX. PRISCILLA[6], bap. 23 Jan., 1791.

X. ANSTISS P.[6], bap. 6 Jan., 1793.

74. XI. JOHN[6], bap. 30 Aug., 1795, m. HANNAH FELLOWS.

XII. NICHOLAS[6], bap. 5 Mar., 1803.

31.

JAMES LANE[5] (Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), was b. at Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., 8 June, and bap. 14 June, 1747. He m. by Rev. John Rogers, 13 Dec., 1770, HANNAH ROBINSON.

Children:

I. JAMES[6], b. 17 Sept., bap. 10 Nov., 1771; ent. int. of m. 1 Dec., and m. 16 Dec., 1792, by Rev. Eli Forbes, POLLY BRADY; she admitted to the church in Annisquam, June 18, 1793. Their daughter:

1. *Elizabeth*[7], d. 15 Dec., 1848, æ. 27 years.

II. HANNAH[6], b. 6, bap. 8 Aug., 1777.

III. ABIGAIL[6], b. 14, bap. 15 Mar., 1778.

32.

JOSIAH LANE[5] (Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), bap. Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., 11 Dec., 1748, ent. int. of m. with JERUSHA STEVENS, 19 Dec., 1769. Son:

75. I. JOSIAH[6], b. 15 Jan., 1771, m. ABIGAIL ROWE CLEAVES.

33.

ISAAC LANE[5], (Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), 1750 ——, bap. Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., 11 Nov., 1750, mariner, resided at Gray, 1781, and Falmouth, Me., 1793, and at Charlestown, Mass., 1800.

He paid Ebenezer Davis 61 pounds, 10 shillings, Nov. 20, 1781, for 51 1-2 acres in Lot 1, Division 3, in Gray.—*16: 425.* He paid Nathaniel House 18 pounds, L. M., Oct. 10, 1784, for 103 acres of land in Gray. Deed acknowledged Dec. 25, 1786.—*16: 424.* He paid Jabez Mathews 25 pounds for 103 acres of land in Gray, Feb. 9, 1789.—*16: 427.* With wife, Jerusha, he sold to James Lakin for 30 pounds, Apr. 4, 1789, 5 1-2 acres of Lot 5, Division 3, in Gray.—*16: 509.* He paid Greenfield Pote 135 pounds, Jan. 4, 1793, for 10 or 11 acres of land in Falmouth.—*19: 509.* He and wife, Jerusha Lane, sold to John Trow, for 60 pounds, Apr. 30, 1795, the homestead of Solomon Mitchel, consisting of a house, barn and one-fourth acre of land in North Yarmouth.—*24: 435.* He sold to his son, Levi Lane, for $550, Oct. 4, 1797, 129 acres of land in Gray, it being half of Lots 5 and 3, and 1-4 of lot No. 1.—*28: 293.* Indenture made Nov. 24, 1800, between Isaac Lane, mariner, and Levi Lane, yeoman, both of Gray, who held, in common, Lots 1, 3 and 5, in Gray, which they now divide between themselves. Signed, Isaac Lane, Levi Lane.—*34: 117.* Isaac Lane conveyed to his daughter, Lucy Lane Hincks, Dec. 4, 1802, lands in Lots 1, 3 and 5, Division 3, in Gray.—*39: 549.*

Isaac Lane m. 20 Dec., 1771, by Rev. Mr. Chandler, DORCAS BENNET, who d. at New Gloucester, Me., at the age of 27 years. He also had wife, JERUSHA ——.

"Isaac Lane of Charlestown, Co. of Middlesex, mariner, and Jerusha his wife, have agreed to separate and not inhabit as man and wife. In consideration of which Levi Lane of Boston, Co. of Suffolk, sailmaker, hath given a deed of a dwelling-house and land in Charlestown to Abraham Peirce of New Gloucester, conditioned for the payment of 104 dollars *per annum* to the said Jerusha, during her life, to be paid quarterly, secured by a mortgage of land in Charlestown to said Peirce, in consideration of which said Jerusha agrees not to trouble or molest said Isaac and not to contract any debts, Sept. 20, 1800."

"Jerusha Lane wife of Isaac Lane formerly of Gray, since of Falmouth, now of Charlestown Co. Middlesex, mariner, in consideration of the provision made for me in this present year 1800, to be paid by Levi Lane of Boston, sailmaker, do quit and release to him, the said Isaac, my right of dower in Pote's Point in Falmouth, Oct. 28, 1800. Acknowledged and consented to

for the sum of $1.00 in favor Jonathan Paine, Jr., Sept. 29, 1801."—*Cumberland Co. Deeds.*

Children:

76. I. ISAAC, Jr.[6], b. 19 Sept., 1772, m. ESTHER COOK.

II. EBENEZER DAVIS[6], a seaman, d. young.

77. III. LEVI[6], bap. 30 Apr., 1775, m. SARAH HICKS.

IV. DORCAS[6], bap. 17 Aug., 1777.

V. BETTY[6], bap. 7 May, 1780.

VI. LUCY LANE[6]-HICKS, received of her parents "in consideration of the natural affection we have," Dec. 4, 1802, parts of Lots 1, 3 and 5 of the Third Division in Gray, "to come into possession after our decease."

34.

THEOPHILUS LANE[5] (Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), was b. in Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., 9 July, and bap. 12 July, 1752. His widowed mother, Abigail Lane, was appointed his guardian, Nov. 27, 1770. He was a shoemaker and went early in life to North Yarmouth, Me., where he subscribed to a private school, Mar. 27, 1770, agreeing to employ Dr. Elias Banks or some other person to teach in district No. 7 for one month or more and to pay his proportionable part of the cost.

Mr. Lane was published to, and m. SUSANNAH DAVIS, 20 Aug., 1774.

"Being out on the fishing ground in the spring of 1776 he was seized by an English vessel and employed as a pilot to bring the craft into Gloucester bay. He had assured the captain that Gloucester was in the hands of the British and thus induced him to run into this port. Gloucester people went off to her in sufficient number to overpower the crew and took possession of the vessel." —*J. J. Babson.*

Theophilus Lane, with wife, REBECCA, sold to Thomas Wentworth, tailor, for $180, June 1, 1801, part of Lot 32, with buildings in North Yarmouth, "which I purchased of Joseph Banks." Five

other transfers of real estate by him are recorded between 1801 and 1810.

Son:

I. THEOPHILUS[6], m. ZERUIAH RING, widow of Benjamin Porter, and dau. of Eleazer and Olive (Mitchel) Ring; she b. 7 Oct., 1792, and d. 12 Nov., 1867. Child:

1. *Jane True*[7], b. 5 July, 18—.

Theophilus Lane, m. Eliza, m. n. Porter, her second m.; she b. about 1827, dau. of Benjamin and Zeruiah (Ring) Porter.

35.

LEVI LANE, ESQ.[5] (Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), 1754–1806, was born at Annisquam, 3 Nov., and bap. at Bay View, Gloucester, Mass., 10 Nov., 1754. He and his cousin, Nicholas Lane[5] (William[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), served apprenticeship together as sailmakers.

Levi Lane was a soldier under Capt. Nathaniel Warner at the battle of Bunker Hill. Capt. Warner's company marched from Gloucester to Cambridge in the latter part of May. On the morning of the attack by the British forces, the company made a rapid march to Charlestown, crossed the peninsula under fire, and was ordered by Gen. Israel Putnam to the redoubt and then to the left towards the rail fence.—*J. J. Babson.*

While still a young man, Mr. Lane visited France and returned in company with Marquis de Lafayette, who came to join the American Colonies in the spring of 1777. He was a member of St. Andrew's Lodge of Free Masons, and there was forwarded to him from France "a blue pitcher with gold letters, with his own name and that of all the prominent members of the lodge and fraternity, etc."—*Abigail Perry.*

Mr. Lane's place of business as a sailmaker and merchant was near Clinton street, Boston, Mass. "He was a sailmaker of wide repute, made the best sails that went out of Boston, made sails for my great grandfather, John Browne of Providence, R. I., who was a noted merchant in his day whose ships sailed all over the world."—*Lewis Herreshoff.*

He became a leading merchant and shipowner, losing some vessels about 1800, by French spoliation. He was a pew owner and prominently connected with the First Universalist church at the corner of North Bennett and Hanover streets with his residence on Pine street, Boston. He was allowed claims against the estate of Solomon Lane, Gloucester, Nov. 5, 1799, and was party to two transfers of real estate in Cumberland Co., Me., 1798–1800.

Levi Lane, Esq., entered intention of marriage with ELIZABETH GYLES of Boston, May 1, 1778; she died the same Tuesday in April, 1795, with her mother, the widow Mary (Maverick) Giles, a descendant of Samuel Maverick the grantee of Noddle's Island. Six weeks after the death of his first wife, Mr. Lane m. second, SUSANNAH (Newman) LANE, the widow of Master Oliver Wellington Lane[5] (James[1-3], John[2], Job[1]). Levi Lane d. 23 June, 1806, and was buried at Copps Hill, Boston, where his stone may be seen, 1899. His widow, Susanna Lane, administered on his estate. Inventory $19,406.90, comprised mansion-house on Pine street, three dwelling houses, blacksmith's shop, cooper's shop, large store and wood wharf, near Fish street, pew in First Universalist church and 75 acres of land in Augusta, Me.

Susanna (Newman) Lane brought into Levi Lane's family four children by Oliver Wellington Lane, and she had four children by Levi Lane. This is especially noted in order to distinguish her children by each marriage. Her estate was settled in Suffolk Probate Court in 1842. Her heirs appear to have been Mary W. Clark, Susan N. Buffum and Hannah (Lane) Braynard. The names of children, John, Harriet and Francis, do not appear in the probate papers; they had died.

Children of Levi Lane by first marriage:

78. I. BETSEY[6], b. 26 Jan., 1779, m. Capt. BENJAMIN PROCTOR.

II. FRANCIS[6], b. 15 June, 1780, was made a Free Mason in the West Indies and d. at the age of 17 years.

79. III. ABIGAIL[6], b. 15 Feb., 1782, m. ITTAI PERRY.

80. IV. POLLY[6], b. 4 Mar., 1784, m. Capt. NATHAN FRYE.

81. V. NANCY[6], b. 21 June, 1786, m. JOSEPH WARREN LEWIS.

VI. SALLY[6], b. 21 Mar., 1788.

VII. LEVI[6], b. and d. 11 July, 1790.

VIII. LEVI[6], b. 24 Sept., 1791, is supposed to have been lost at sea with his brother-in-law, Capt. Benjamin Proctor.

Children of Levi Lane and his second wife:

IX. HANNAH[6], b. 28 Apr., 1796, m. SELDEN BRAYNARD of Boston, a very capable man who was imprisoned for forging the name of

HEADSTONE AT THE GRAVE OF CAPT. FRANCIS LANE, SOUTH PARIS, MAINE.

H. G. Otis. Both are mentioned in the settlement of her mother's estate, 1842. Children:

1. *Thomas*, settled in New York.
2. *Charles Phelps*, graduated Harvard College, 1842, and settled in New York.
3. *Harriet*. 4. *Susan*.

X. JOHN[6], b. 28 Dec., 1797, d. unm.

XI. HARRIET[6], b. 29 Apr., 1799, d. of consumption at about 20 years.

XII. FRANCIS[6], b. Friday, 5 Dec., 1800, d. a mariner in middle life. He m. at Gloucester, Mass., 29 Oct., 1851, by Joshua P. Trask, Justice of the Peace, Mrs. ANN STEVENS; she b. about 1811, Nova Scotia, dau. of Robert and Mary Anne Dopson.

36.

CAPT. FRANCIS LANE[5] (Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), 1756–1829, was bap. at Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., 12 Dec., 1756.

He enlisted in Capt. John Rowe's Co. of Gloucester minute men under Col. Ebenezer Bridge and marched to Bunker Hill in season to take an active part in the great engagement of June 17, 1775. Returning to Gloucester, he entered the service on board of a privateer, and at the close of the war received his share in several prizes he had aided in capturing. He studied navigation and, subsequently master of a vessel, sailed for several years as far as the East Indies and many times to the West Indies and was once wrecked on Sable Island where he remained all winter to recover the cargo of cotton which had sunk in the ship. He afterward coasted between Boston and Portland, Me., for many years. The house he occupied at Bay View has been the homestead of the Jones family for more than a century (1884).

Capt. Francis Lane, m. first, by Rev. Obadiah Parsons, 25 Feb., 1779, ESTHER GRIFFIN; she bap. 6 Sept., 1761, dau. of Samuel and Mary (York) Griffin of Gloucester, from Newbury, Mass. They moved to North Yarmouth, Me., where Mrs. Lane sacrificed her life and d. 31 Aug., 1799, æ. 38 years, in taking care of a neighbor sick with the yellow fever. The neighbor recovered,

but Mrs. Lane died, while her dau. Mary took the fever and never fully recovered. Mrs. Lane was buried in the old cemetery at North Yarmouth.

She was descended from Philip Griffin, the ancestor of the numerous and influential Gloucester family. Mary Griffin m. William Babson and was the mother of Hon. John J. Babson, the historian of Gloucester. The Annisquam church records say of Samuel Griffin, "He was a member of the church many years and was well esteemed. He was firm and unshaken in the doctrines of free grace in an exalted Divine Redeemer and Saviour."

Capt. Lane m. second, 8 July, 1800, MRS. HANNAH WYMAN of North Yarmouth. She was the 381st member of the First church in North Yarmouth and joined by public profession of faith, July 24, 1791. They moved to a farm at Minot Corner, Me., and in June, 1818, to South Paris, Me. She died in 1820, æ. 65 years. He was published, 10 Nov., and m. third, 5 Dec., 1822, widow BETSEY GAMMON of South Paris, who died 31 Mar., 1825, æ. 63 years.

Francis Lane of North Yarmouth, sold to Jabez Cushman for $500.00, Jan. 16, 1802, 64 acres and 93 rods in the 281 squadron No. 9 in the gore, "the place where I now live." He paid Ichabod Benson, $330.00, Apr. 27, 1802, for 50 acres of land, Lot 78, in Minot. Francis Lane of Minot and Hannah Lane his wife in her right, sold to Leonard P. Woodbury for $475.00, June 26, 1818, Lot 78 in Minot with the buildings thereon. He was party to sale of real estate eight times between 1801 and 1818.—*Cumb. Co. Records.*

Capt. Lane had a strong attachment for the place of his nativity and visited Gloucester on a fishing trip every season, Aug. to Nov., till a short time before his death, at the house of his dau., Mrs. Susan Ripley, 30 Nov., 1829, æ. 73 years. He was rather small in stature with light complexion, blue eyes and delicate constitution,—soldier, scholar and gentleman. With his last two wives he was buried in the Robinson neighborhood near South Paris, Me. The grave of this soldier and pensioner of the Revolution, unmarked and forgotten for many years, was at length discovered and marked by a suitable marble headstone with appropriate inscriptions by his grandson, Samuel Richards, Jr., at his own expense, he "not thinking it right to have a soldier of Bunker Hill sleep in a lost and forgotten grave."

MARY LANE RICHARDS.

Children by first wife. "From all my researches and intimate acquaintance with them, I have found no stain on the character of any. They all were worthy of such a father as Capt. Francis Lane."—*Samuel Richard, Jr.*

I. ESTHER GRIFFIN[6], b. North Yarmouth, 26 May, 1782, m. BENJAMIN SAFFORD of North Turner Bridge, Me., and d. 2 May 1842. Children:

1. *William S.*, b. 15 Aug., 1806. 2. *Nathan*, b. 14 Feb., 1808. 3. *Francis Lane*, b. 6 May, 1811, d. 31 Aug., 1819. 4. *Polly Lane*, b. 22 May, 1813. 5. *Eliza A.*, b., 18 Apr., 1816, d. 12 Sept., 1845.

II. FRANCIS[6], b. about 1787, d. young.

82. III. MARY[6], b. 7 Jan., 1792, m. SAMUEL RICHARDS.

83. IV. ANNIE RUHAMAH[6], b. 7 Mar., 1794, m. ELIZA WHITEHOUSE.

V. SUSAN[6], b. 9 Nov., 1797, was pub. 20 Feb., and m. Mar., 1818, RANSOM RIPLEY[7] (Thaddeus[6] and Lydia (Ransom) Ripley, Abner[5], Hezekiah[4], John[3,2], William[1], from Hingham, Norfolk Co., England). Mr. Ripley was b. 8 Sept., 1786, settled in Paris, Me., 1800, and d. 5 Sept., 1842, æ. 56 years. She d. 12 May, 1851, æ. 53 yrs., 6 ms., 3 ds. Their children:

1. *Ransom*, b. 15 Oct., 1823, m. *Julia M. Thayer*, res. Paris, Me.
2. *Annie L.*, b. 8 Sept., 1825, m. *Judith Fuller* of Paris and res. California.
3. *Cynthia A.*, b. 19 Aug., 1827, m. *William G. Knapp*, res. Hartford and Livermore, Me.
4. *Louisa Ellen*, b. 23 July, 1829, res. Biddeford, Me.
5. *Thaddeus*, b. 15 Oct., 1831, d. Sept., 1858, in California.
6. *Abby J.*, b. July, 1833, m. first, *Joseph Libby*, res. Limerick, Me., m. second and lived in St. Louis, Mo.
7. *Amanda*, b. 1835, m. *Elijah DeCoster*, res. North Turner, Me.
8. *George*, b. July, 1838, m. *Mary Noyes*, res. Cincinnati, Ohio.
9. *Adelia Eliza*, b. 12 Mar., 1841, m. 1 Sept., 1859, *Joseph Henry Cannell*, of Cambridge, Mass., res. and town clerk, Everett, Mass. Children:

1) Nellie Ellsworth, b. 24 July, 1861. 2) William Henry, b. 15 Apr., 1867. 3) Herbert Livingston, b. 3 Feb., 1869. 4) Joseph Johnson, b. 11 July, 1872. 5) John Weston, b. 22 July, 1879. 6) Leon Garfield, b. 9 Oct., 1881.

VI. HANNAH[6], b. 14 June, 1799, was pub. 22 May, 1820, and m. WILLIAM HUTCHINGS of Pownal, Me., res. Oxford, Me., and d. 24 Mar., 1859. Children:

1. *William*, b. 18 Dec., 1821, d.

2. *John S.*, b. 30 Nov., 1823, m. *Phebe Rowe*, res. North Turner Bridge, Me., and d. 8 May, 1876. Children:

1) Charles Albert, b. 9 Oct., 1851. 2) John Francis, b. 24 Oct., 1853, res. Norway, Me. 3) Orinton L., d. 2 Aug., 1858, æ. 2 yrs., 10 ms. 4) Emily J., d. 26 July, 1863, æ. 4 yrs., 5 ms., 7 ds.

3. *Mary Lane*, b. 21 Oct., 1824, m. *Benjamin Franklin Pearson* and had:

1) George Frank, b. 20 May, 1858, m. and had son b. about 1880. 2) Lewis Webster, b. 22 Apr., 1860, m. and lost his wife, res. Campello, Mass.

4. *George, d.* 5. *Francis.*
6. *Martha Ann*, b. 19 Feb., 1832, d. 9 Nov., 1846, æ. 14 yrs., 8 ms. "She said:

'Jesus can make a dying bed
Feel soft as downy pillows are,
While on his breast I lean my head
And breathe my life out sweetly there.'

Thus sleeps her dust beneath the sod,
Her soul ascended to her God;
There tears of grief forever cease,
In that eternal world of peace."

37.

MARK LANE[5] (Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1],) 1762–1824, bap. Annisquam, Mass., 10 Jan., 1762, was pub. 11 Dec., 1801, and m. ESTHER GOTT, who d. of pleurisy, 9 July, 1827. He d. of consumption, 15 June, 1826, æ. 62 years, and lies buried in the corner of Annisquam burying ground near Parson Learned's grave.

Children:

I. ESTHER[6], m. 13 Dec., 1821, by Rev. Ezra Learned, JOHN LITTLE GRIFFIN, and resided at Annisquam.

84. II. MARK[6], b. 28 June, bap. 28 July, 1804, m. CLEMENTINA YOUNG.

III. JUDITH[6], bap. Oct., 1807, m. 10 Dec., 1822, JAMES LANE of Annisquam and d. 21 Nov., 1825, æ. 19 years.

85. IV. GEORGE WASHINGTON[6], b. 1812, m. THOMAZINE THURSTON.

V. LOUISA[6], d. unm. 6 July, 1874, æ. 51 years.

VI. JOHN K.[6], mariner, m. first, —— BUTLER, second, ANN MARIA GRIFFIN, and d. at Squam Point, Gloucester, 23 Apr., 1857, æ. 35 years.

VII. LEVI[6], master-mate of sloop of war Dale. Capt. Levi Lane was the youngest son of Mark Lane. He had three daughters and one son. The oldest child was *Lucretia K.*[7], who m. *Isaac Bourne*, lived in Whitman, Mass., and had son, Isaac, b. 1867.

38.

DAVID LANE[5] (David[4], John[3,2], James[1]), 1750–1825, born Lanesville, Gloucester, Mass., 1 Dec., 1750. Tradition relates that he was a soldier in the Revolution, captured and carried to Halifax, Nova Scotia. He escaped and swam on board a sloop bound for Virginia, whence with a companion he returned on foot to Gloucester.

He was monitor and collector for the Third Parish, Annisquam, Mass., Mar. 20, 1779, parish committee 1788, sexton 1807.

He ent. int. 21 Aug., and m. 12 Nov., 1772, by Rev. Obadiah Parsons, HANNAH MERCHANT. She was b. 17 Feb., 1754, dau. of Daniel and Hannah (Woodbury) Merchant, and granddaughter of Jabez and Mary (Butman-Babson) Merchant, who settled in Annisquam in 1721. Her ancestress, Mary Butman, is supposed to have descended from John Robinson, pastor of Plymouth Colony in 1620.

Capt. David Lane died 30 May, 1825, aged 74 yrs., 5 ms., 28 ds.

"A husband kind, a father dear,
A sincere friend lies buried here."

—*Tombstone.*

Mrs. Hannah Merchant Lane joined the church at Lanesville, July 31, 1774, and d. 30 Nov., 1840, aged 86 yrs., 9 ms., 13 ds.

Administration on the estate of Capt. David Lane was granted to Samuel Lane, Esq., and appraisers were appointed Feb. 7, 1826. Inventory returned May 2, 1829, $3815.26. Allowance to Hannah Lane, widow, May 5, 1829, and dowry, Oct. 5, 1830. Division of estate Aug. 2, 1831, to Hannah Lane, widow, David Lane, Epes Lane, Samuel Lane, Hannah Young, and legal

representatives of John Lane, Polly Lane and Caroline Tucker. Administrator's accounts presented Nov. 1, 1830, and May 3, 1831, and third account allowed May 14, 1833. The dwelling-house of Capt. David Lane was standing in good condition in 1900, and, across the way, the sweet apple tree on which he dressed his sheep, since called "the mutton tree."

Children:

86. I. JOHN[6], bap. 21 Aug., 1774, had wife ESTHER WHITE.

87. II. DAVID[6], bap. 14 July, 1776, had wives NABBY LANE and MARY COOK.

88. III. EPES[6], b. 10, bap. 19 Apr., 1778, had wives SUSANNA YOUNG and SALLY HUMPHREY WOODBURY.

IV. HANNAH[6], bap. 4 June, 1780, ent int. 2 Nov., and m. 6 Dec., 1798, DANIEL YOUNG of Rockport, Mass., who d. 19 Dec., 1848, æ. 75 years. Their children.

1. *John* b. 1 Aug., 1799, m. *Sally Tarr.*
2. *Judith L.*, b. 12 May, 1801, d. unm.
3. *Hannah L.*, b. 27 Aug., 1803, m. *Reuben Tarr.* Their dau. Sophia A., b. 21 June, 1832, m. 15 Jan., 1865, Francis Jackson of Lanesville, and had:

1) Ethel S., b. 20 Aug., 1867. 2) Francis A., b. 17 Jan., 1874. 3) Martha A., b. 27 Feb., 1876.

4. *William*, b. 11 Apr., 1805, m. *Sophia Tarr.*
5. *Daniel*, b. 14 Mar., 1807, m. *Angella Knowlton.*
6. *Adelaide*, b. 14 Mar., 1807, m. *Joshua Tucker.*
7. *Henry*, b. 2 Sept., 1810, m. *Caroline Tucker.*
8. *Samuel Lane*, M. D., b. 3 Jan., 1813, graduated Bowdoin College, 1840, and Harvard Medical School, 1852, practised medicine at Marblehead, Mass., marine hospital, Rainsford Island, alms house, Bridgewater, Mass., Lanesville, Mass., and South Portland, Me. He was an ardent Republican and reformer. He m. first, *Emily Tarr* of Rockport, Mass., by whom he had Alla Frances, b. 28 Jan., 1868, teacher High school, Charlestown, Mass.; m. second, *Mary C. Mariner*, of Cape Elizabeth, Me., where he d. of apoplexy, 19 Apr., 1893, æ. 80 yrs., 3 ms. 16 ds.
9. *Susan*, b. 23 Jan., 1815, d. unm.
10. *Augusta*, } b. 11 Dec., 1817.
11. *Franklin*, } triplets, b. 12 Dec., 1817, d. æ. 7 yrs.
12. *Warren*, } b. 13 Dec., 1817, m. *Betsey Dodd.*
13. *David L.*, b. 4 Feb., 1820.
14. *Frederick*, b. 5 Feb., 1822, m. *Ruhamah Holmes.*
15. *Abigail*, b. 11 Aug., 1824.
16. *Franklin*, b. 6 July, 1827, m. at Newry, Me., and d. 1892, æ. 65 years.

89. V. SAMUEL[6], bap. 27 Apr., 1794, had wives SALLY W. HARRADEN and MARTHA DENNISON.

VI. POLLY[6], m. WILLIAM LANE[5] (Solomon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]).

VII. CAROLINE[6], m. Sept., 1813, by Rev. Ezra Learned, JOSHUA TUCKER, and d. before 1831, leaving children heirs to her father's estate:

1. *Joshua*, m. *Catherine Young*.
2. *Mary Lane*, m. *Joshua Griffin*.
3. *Caroline*, m. *Henry Young*.
4. *Daughter*, d. young.

39.

CALEB LANE[5] (Joseph[4.3], John[2], James[1]), ent. int. of m. 10 Dec., 1782, and m. 2 Jan., 1783, by Rev. Eli Forbes, ABIAH SAVILLE, dau. of Jesse and Martha Saville. They resided in Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass.

Children:

I. JOHN SAVILLE[6], b. 19 Apr., 1785, d. at Gloucester, 1 May, 1871, æ. 86 years. Their child:

1. *John S. Lane*, Jr.[7], m. *Mehitable*, and had:

1) Rodney[8], b. 1 Nov., 1839.
2) Matilda[8], b. 22 June, 1842, d. 6 Oct., 1843.
3) John Preston[8], b. 4 Oct., 1843, d. 23 Oct., 1844, æ. 1 yr., 19 ds.

90. II. JOSEPH[6], b. 1 May, 1787, m. LUCY GOTT.

III. ANDREW[6], b. 5 June, bap. 4 Oct., 1789.

91. IV. WILLIAM SAVILLE,[6], b. 5 Sept., bap. 6 Nov., 1791, m. SALLY LANE.

V. CHARLES[6], b. 7 Sept., 1796, bap. by Rev. Gilbert Wilkes.

VI. ELIZA[6], bap. 3 July, 1799.

VII. HEPSIBAH[6], b. 21 Nov., 1802.

VIII. ADALINE[6], b. 4 Apr., bap. 29 June, 1806.

92. IX. THEODORE[6], b. 24 Jan., 1808, m. CLARISSA LOWE.

40.

GIDEON LANE[5] (Joseph[4.3], John[2], James[1]), born Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., ent. int. of m. 8 Mar., 1796, with ANNA

GRIFFIN, who d. 7 June, 1821; m. second, 10 Dec., 1822, by Rev. Ezra Learned, HANNAH LANE, who d. 29 Mar., 1848, æ. 62 yrs., 4 ms., 15 ds. Interred at Gloucester, Mass.

Children:

93. I. GIDEON[6], b. 10 Dec., 1798, bap. 3 July, 1799, m. ABIGAIL GOTT.

II. JUDE GRIFFIN[6], bap. 29 Aug., 1801.

94. III. SAMUEL ROBINSON[6], b. 6 June, 1806, m. MARTHA WATSON.

IV. ANNA[6], m. DAVID LURVEY.

V. OTHERS[6], d. young.

41.

CALEB LANE, JR.[5] (Caleb[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1759–1850, b. Lanesville, Mass., 23, and bap. 27 May, 1759. He was a mariner in U. S. privateer service, captured by British forces and committed from privateer "Alfred" to Forten gaol or prison one mile from Portsmouth, Eng., July 18, 1778. Returned to Gloucester, Mass., he was committee for settlement of estate of Cornelius Lane, 1806, and surety for Aaron Lane, administrator on estate of Wentworth R. Lane, Dec. 4, 1809.

Mr. Lane ent. int. 28 Apr., and m. 3 May, 1804, by Rev. Daniel Fuller, HANNAH BURNHAM[7] (Jonathan[6], and Ruth Haskell, Simeon[5], Thomas[4,3], John[2], Thomas[1]), a family of Ipswich and Essex, Mass.; she b. 29 Oct., 1765. Both were admitted to the church of Annisquam, Apr. 22, 1805. This pensioner of the Revolution d. 5 Apr., 1850, æ. 90 yrs., 10 ms., 12 ds. His wife d. 18 Feb., 1843, æ. 76 years.

Children:

I. HANNAH[6], bap. 28 Apr., 1805.

95. II. DAVID SAVILLE[6], bap. June, 1807, m. LYDIA ANN ELWELL.

96. III. LAZARUS[6], bap. 13 Aug., 1809, had wife RUTH.

42.

JOSEPH LANE[5] (Caleb[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]) was b. in Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., bap. 30 Nov., 1760. He was a cordwainer at Lanesville and bought land in 1798. He m. 26 Feb., 1782, by Rev. Eli Forbes, JOANNA MORGAN and d. intestate, 1832, leaving a widow Joanna to whom dower was assigned Apr. 21, 1835. Division of the estate was made Nov. 17, 1835, to Amos Griffin, to Andrew H. Langsford, to John S. Lane, to Jonathan Harraden and to Mary Andrews.

Children:

I. ELIZABETH[6], bap. by Rev. William Williams of Casco Bay, d. of old age 11 Sept., 1872, æ. 85 yrs., 8 ms., 24 ds.

II. JANE[6], ent. int. of m. 27 Sept., 1800, with JONATHAN HARRADEN of Gloucester.

III. MARY[6], m. 22 Nov., 1807, by Rev. E. Learned, STEPHEN ANDREWS.

IV. LUCY[6], m. 26 Aug., 1810, AMOS GRIFFIN.

V. JUDITH[6], bap. 23 June, 1798, by Rev. Manassah Cutler, m. 21 July, 1818, by Rev. Ezra Learned, ANDREW H. LANGSFORD, and d. before 1835, leaving minor children.

VI. JOSEPH[6], bap. 1801, d. 12 Dec., 1819, æ. 17 years; fell overboard from his uncle Aaron Lane's vessel coming from the eastward laden with wood.

VII. JOHN S.[6], had wife SUSAN, and:

1. *Son*[7], b. 2 Oct., 1843.

43.

ZACHEUS LANE[5], (Caleb[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1769–1819, b. Lanesville, Gloucester, Mass., 7 June, 1769, bap. 16 June, 1771, a fisherman at Bay View, Gloucester, ent. int. of m. 8 Nov., and m. 8 Dec., 1805, REBECCA MERCHANT[4], by Rev. Ezra Learned. She was b. Gloucester, 21 Sept., 1782, dau. of Jabez[3] and Rebecca (Woodbury) Daniel[2], Jabez[1], and d. 18 Jan., 1853,

æ. 70 years, "having passed the allotted threescore and ten years." He bought land in Squam parish of James Woodbury, Jan. 10, 1791, and was surety for Aaron Lane, adm. on the estate of Wentworth Riggs Lane, Dec. 4, 1809.

Mr. Lane d. 2 May, 1819, æ. 48 years, of a singular disease. A *post mortem* examination by Dr. Israel B. Hovey showed that "the outlet of the stomach had grown up and become chaliced."

Administration on his estate was granted to Rebecca Lane, widow, Jan. 7, 1823. She received allowance Nov. 4, and dowry Dec. 2, 1823.

Children:

I. REBECCA[6], b. 22 Apr., 1807, d. 26 July, 1849, æ. 42 yrs., 5 ms.

"The casket lies beneath the sod,
The gem it held has gone to God;
Death's messenger by Him was sent.
To carry back the treasure lent.

Afflicted friends great is your loss,
But God your path hath wisely crossed;
He only took what was his own,
Then should we say, 'Thy will be done.'"

II. CAROLINE[6], b. 29 Nov., 1809, bap. May, 1810, by Rev. Daniel Fuller.

97. III. CYRUS[6], b. 8 June, 1812, m. SARAH ROWE.

IV. SUSAN MERCHANT[6], b. 21 Oct., 1814, m. 13 Nov., 1831, ISRAEL JEROULD, and d. 17 Aug., 1854.

V. BETSEY MERCHANT[6], b. 26 July, 1817, bap. 31 Oct., 1819, m. EZEKIEL CHARD, a stage driver, and d. 12 Aug., 1889. She was the mother of:

1. *Chase Chard.*

44.

SOLOMON LANE, JR.[5] (Solomon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1765–1817, was b. in Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., 21 Jan., and bap. 24 Feb., 1765. He bought land in Squam parish of Jonathan Harraden, Dec. 31, 1788, received bond from Cornelius Lane for

a portion in their father's estate, Mar. 7, 1803, purchased of Cornelius Lane his right in the fish house, 1806, and presented a claim against his estate, 1808. He ent. int. 6 Feb., and m. 11 Mar., 1792, SALLY STANWOOD, by Rev. Ebenezer Cleaveland. He d. intestate, 28 Aug., 1817, at the Point, Rockport, Mass., John Manning administrator, Jan. 19, 1818. His widow was buried 27 May, 1818.

Their children:

I. SUSAN[6], bap. 27 Oct., 1799, d. 12 Sept., 1805.

II. JACOB CLARK[6], bap. 1801.

III. NATHANIEL[6], bap. 18 Aug., 1805, d. 19 Aug., 1805, æ. 3 years.

IV. CAROLINE[6], bap. 8 Sept., 1805.

V. FITZ WILLIAM[6], d 15 June, 1818, æ. about 5 years.

45.

NATHANIEL LANE[5] (Solomon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), was b. Lanesville, Gloucester, Mass., 2, and bap. 9 Nov., 1766, by Rev. John Wyeth. He had a claim against his father's estate, Nov. 5, 1799; received bonds from Cornelius Lane for a portion of their father's estate, Mar. 7, 1803, presented a claim against his brother, Cornelius Lane's estate, 1808. He ent. int. of m. with SARAH WOODBURY, 19 Dec., 1795. They settled in New Gloucester, Me., whence they removed to Poland, Me. Here he resided 70 years and died at the advanced age of 92 years. "Mr. Lane was a good citizen and a worthy man. He was a great reader of the Bible, having read it through in course eleven times, was a lifelong Universalist."—*Rev. Zenas Thompson.*

Children:

I. CLARA[6], bap. Oct., 1798.

98. II. NATHANIEL[6], b. 1802, m. ESTHER SARGENT.

III. ELI[6], b. about 1806, unm., d. Gloucester, 30 July, 1884, æ. 78 yrs., 17 ds. Buried at Locust Grove, Lanesville.

99. IV. WENTWORTH RIGGS[6], b. New Gloucester, Me., 20 Nov., 1807, m. LAVINA JORDON.

V. BETSEY GIDEONS[6], bap. 9 July, 1810.

100. VI. LEWIS[6], b. Mar., 1812, m. SALLY T. POOL and LAURA A. WADLEY.

46.

CORNELIUS LANE[5], (Solomon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1769–1805, was b. in Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., 24 Oct., 1769, and bap. 7 Jan., 1770. He was a fisherman, and received two-thirds of his father's estate by giving bonds, Mar. 7, 1803, to pay portions to other children and legal representatives. He ent. int. of m. with LUCY HARRADEN, 18 Oct., 1793, and was buried 9 July, 1805. Administration was granted to his widow, Lucy Lane, Oct. 7, 1805; inventory, Oct. 14, 1805, mentions dwelling-house and lands, fish house, nets, one-half of a two mast boat, one right in school house on Harraden's Point, two-thirds of a wall pew in Annisquam meeting-house, Bible, Testament and hymn book; widow's dower set off Mar. 20, 1806; account of adm. rendered, Oct. 6, 1806.

Children:

I. WILLIAM PITT[6], bap. 3 July, 1799.

II. AMMI[6], bap. 1801.

III. Perhaps CORNELIUS[6]. "Mr. Cornelius Lane of this town and Miss Almira Smith of Belfast, Hancock County, were published Jany 21st 1821; Certificate given 7 Feb., 1821."—*Record Freeport, Me.*

47.

HUMPHREY LANE[5] (Solomon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), bap. in Gloucester, Mass., 13 Oct., 1771; ent. int. of m. 11 Jan., 1797, with SUSANNAH GREENLEAF of Newbury, Mass., received a

portion of his father's estate, Mar. 7, 1803, and presented a claim against the estate of Cornelius Lane, 1808. Administration on the estate of "Humphrey Lane last of Newburyport, mariner, who died on or about Nov. 20, 1832," was granted to Philip Johnson of Newbury, Dec. 11, 1832; inventory returned Mar. 12, 1833; Mary P. Lane, widow, received allowance, Dec. 10, 1833, who "has one son, Joseph Lane, only three years of age, whose nurture and education will depend entirely upon her."

Children of Humphrey and Susan Lane:

I. LIDEAY DAVIS[6], bap. 11 Oct., 1801.

II. JOSEPH[6], bap. 21 Sept., 1805.

III. POLLY GREENLEAF[6], bap. Oct., 1807.

IV. THOMAS[6].

V. WILLIAM[6].

VI. SARAH[6], bap. 28 Nov., 1819.

48.

WILLIAM LANE[5] (Solomon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), was b. in Rockport, Mass., in 1789. William Lane, aged 14 years, received Mark Lane as his guardian, Mar. 7, 1803. He was allowed claims against the estate of Cornelius Lane in 1808, was a carpenter and d. 17 Oct., 1857, æ. 69 years.

He m. first in Aug., 1811, by Rev. Ezra Learned, POLLY LANE[6] (David[5.4], John[3.2], James[1]). She d. suddenly, 20 June, 1824, leaving an infant two months old. In 1832, her minor children received by William Lane, their father and guardian, a portion of her father's estate. He m. second, NANCY ——, who was b. in Rockport, and d. of cancer, 4 Sept., 1847, æ. 61 years. He m. third, 25 June, 1848, by Rev. Samuel C. Gilbert, MRS. LOUISA BROOKS; she aged 38, dau. of Jabez and Lois Tarr, who m. third, 19 Sept., 1869, by Rev. Nathaniel Richardson, John York, he b. 1793, son of Samuel and Elizabeth York, his third marriage.

Children :

101. I. WILLIAM, JR.[6], b. 12 Oct., 1812, m. SALLY —— and RHODA ELWELL.

102. II. ALBERT[6], b. 26 Oct., 1816, m. RHODA W. BUTMAN and MARTHA A. BUTMAN.

III. HENRY OSCAR[6], b. 26 June, 1819, m. in Boston, Mass., and d. 28 Mar., 1858, æ. 39 yrs., 4 ms., 3 ds.

IV. MARY[6], b. 29 Nov., 1821, d. 27 May, 1826.

V. MARIA[6], b. 6 June, 1824, m. JOSEPH BURNS of Rockport, Mass.

49.

GIDEON LANE 2d[5], (Gideon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]) 1764–1821, was born in Gloucester, Mass., 14, and bap. at Annisquam, 16 Dec., 1764. He was born on the east side of Lobster cove, but bought and moved his family to the large, double, two story house still standing near the west end of the bridge over Lobster cove in Annisquam.

British armed barges came into Squam river in 1813 to destroy what shipping they could find. Capt. Lane had a schooner called "Federalist" lying at the wharf below his house. A barge came into Lobster cove intending to destroy her. When preparing to set her on fire, Capt. Lane's daughter, Clara, then 17 years of age, went from the house and requested them not to destroy the vessel. The lieutenant in command looked at Miss Lane a few moments and then declared "he could not resist answering the prayer of such a pretty lass and would leave the vessel unmolested." And the barge returned to their vessels outside, without any further damage to property here. That was the last visit armed barges made in Annisquam river.—*George Edward Lane.*

Gideon Lane, Jr., of Gloucester, mariner, paid Gideon Lane of Freeport, Me., $800.00, June 25, 1813, for land including the northwest part of Lot 39, Range E, in Freeport.

Capt. Lane ent. int. 24 Nov., 1789, and m. 20 Apr., 1790, HANNAH GRIFFIN ; she a descendant of Philip Griffin, an early settler of Cape Ann, b. Annisquam, 20 Sept., 1772, and d. 10 May, 1852, æ. 79 yrs., 7 ms., dau. of Oliver and Mary (York) Griffin.

She was sister to the mother of John J. Babson, the historian of Gloucester.

Capt. Lane died at Annisquam, 28 Nov., 1821, æ. 57 years.

"The pure in heart see God."

Administration on his estate was granted to Samuel Lane, Esq., Apr. 5, 1825; inventory July 19, 1825; allowance to widow, Hannah Lane, Jan. 12, 1826; dower set off, Oct. 5, 1830.

OBITUARY.

"Died in Gloucester on Wednesday morning last, Capt. Gideon Lane, aged 57 years, after a long and distressing illness which he endured with remarkable fortitude and patience. An affectionate remembrance of the worthy man will ever be cherished by his relations and friends. His moral character was unexceptionable and he was distinguished for his diligence and activity in business. When in health his cheerful and social disposition never failed to render him an acceptable companion in the circle of his friends and acquaintances.

In the death of Capt. Lane the society in which he lived, and his friends in particular, have sustained an irreparable loss. He was a kind and affectionate husband, a tender and indulgent father. He was fondly attached to life and had an earnest desire to recover from his illness, but still, when he became sensible that his case was hopeless, he expressed a perfect resignation to the Divine Will, and died in a comfortable hope of a happy immortality. We trust he is now rejoicing in the possession of perfect purity and bliss; while he has left behind that which is better than precious ointment 'a good name.' Peace be to his memory."—*Rev. Ezra Learned.*

Children:

103. I. GIDEON, 3d.[6], b. 31 Aug., 1791, m. DORCAS BABSON and ELIZA H. PEABODY.

II. HANNAH[6], b. 26 July, 1793, d. 27 Oct., 1793.

III. CLARA[6], b. 18 Feb., 1796, m. DAVID BABSON.

104. IV. OLIVER GRIFFIN[6], b. 25 Nov., 1798, bap. 27 Oct., 1799, m. CHARLOTTE PHIPPEN.

V. ALEXANDER[6], b. 18 Aug., 1801, d. St. Thomas, W. I., 5 Aug., 1821. Heard of his death, Sept. 7, 1821.

VI. HANNAH[6], b. 18 Nov., 1803, bap. 7 July, 1804, m. DAVID LANE[7] (Epes[6], David[5.4], John[3.2], James[1]).

VII. ESTHER G.[6], b. 8 Sept., 1805, d. 8 Nov., 1805.

VIII. EMILY[6], b. 9 Sept., 1806, m. —— DAVIS.

IX. JULIA AUGUSTA[6], b. 21 Jan., 1808, d. 30 Nov., 1813, æ. 5 years.

105. X. GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS[6], b. 9 June, 1811, m. CLARISSA PEABODY.

XI. JULIA A.[6], b. 13 Feb., 1815, d. 23 Aug., 1816.

50.

MOSES SOULE, JR.[6] (Moses[5], Barnabas[4], Moses[3], John[2], George[1]), 1769–1851, was born in Freeport, Me., 28 Dec., 1769.

Moses Soule[5], was b. 19 Feb., 1739, and bap. 5 Sept., 1742, son of Barnabas and Jane Bradbury.

Barnabas Soule[4], b. 1705, bought of his brother Cornelius in 1745, a homestead in Freeport; m. 1737, Jane, a posthumous daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth (Stockman) Bradbury of Salisbury, Mass.; she b. 1718, bap. 4 Aug., 1818, the youngest sister of Mrs. Dorothy, the wife of Rev. Ammi Ruhamah Cutter, and great granddaughter of the noted divine Rev. John Wheelwright. Barnabas and his wife were received to the First church of North Yarmouth by public profession, Aug. 30, 1742. He died 8 Apr., 1780, æ. 75 years; lies buried in the old burying ground on Pleasant Hill, Freeport, that overlooks the town and gives a glimpse of the blue waters of Casco Bay in the distance.

Moses Soule, Jr. and MARTHA LANE[5] (Gideon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), both of Freeport, Me., she b. Gloucester, Mass., 22 Dec., 1772, entered their intention of marriage 25 May, 1793, certificate of m. given 9 Jan., 1794, and entered for record 28 May, 1794.

Both united with the Congregational church in Freeport about 1810. He called upon the fence viewers of Freeport to partition the fence between himself and Thomas Becknell, July 25, 1818. He was chosen deacon of the church, Apr. 29, 1813, and closed his service with his death, 4 Oct., 1851. Mrs. Soule d. 20 Dec., 1837. Their descendants have been preeminently a race of literary men and educators.

Children:

I. CHARLES[7], b. 29 Aug., 1794, entered Phillips Exeter Acad-

emy, 1815, graduated Bowdoin College, 1821, and Andover Theological Seminary, 1825, was ordained to the Congregational ministry at Belfast, Me., June 24, 1824, and held fifteen pastorates in Maine. He m. PHEBE (Bartol), widow of Rev. Samuel VEAZIE. and d. at Portland, Me., 31 May 1869, æ. 75 years.

II. GIDEON LANE[7], b. 25 July, 1796, entered Phillips Exeter Academy, 1813, graduated at Bowdoin College, 1818, teacher at Phillips Exeter Academy, 1818-19, graduated at Andover Theological Seminary, 1821, teacher at Phillips Academy, Andover, 1820-21, professor of ancient languages Phillips Exeter Academy, 1822-38, principal and trustee *ex-officio*, 1838 to June 30, 1873, then principal *emeritus* till his death.

Dr. Soule "was fully indoctrinated with the views and methods of his old preceptor (Dr. Benjamin Abbot), was a thorough classical scholar, and possessed rare natural qualities for the high post to which he was promoted. He was of commanding presence and dignified manners, and understood well how to appeal to the best instincts of his pupils. Like his predecessor he had the gift of command, and was a thorough gentleman in the best sense of the term, courteous, high minded, just and generous in his treatment of all . . . . After Dr. Soule had completed his fiftieth year of duty as a professer and principal of the academy, he retired from active employment, bearing with him the respect and cordial affection of his associates and of the numerous pupils who had enjoyed the great advantage of his instruction and his example."—*Charles H. Bell.*

Principal Soule received the honorary degree of LL. D. from Harvard University in 1856, and died at Exeter, 28 May, 1879. He m. 26 Aug., 1822, ELIZABETH PHILLIPS, dau. of Noah EMERY of Exeter. Three children reached adult age:

1. *Charles Emery*[8], b. 1823, entered Phillips Exeter Academy, 1833, graduated Bowdoin College, 1842, A. M., assistant surrogate in New York city.
2. *Nicholas Emery*[8], b. 1825, entered Phillips Exeter Academy, 1835, graduated Harvard University, 1845, A. M., M. D. Pennsylvania, 1851, teacher Cincinnati, Ohio, trustee Phillips Exeter Academy, 1879.
3. *Augustus Lord*[8], b. 1827, entered Phillips Exeter Academy, 1837, graduated Harvard University, 1846, Justice Supreme Court Massachusetts, 1879-81, counsel for Boston and Albany railroad corporation, residence Boston, Mass.

III. JOHN BABSON[7], b. 16 Sept., 1798, d. 22 Feb., 1807.

IV. NANCY[7], b. 31 Mar., 1801, d. 21 Mar., 1807.

V. JEANETTE[7], b. 16 July, 1803, d. 23 Feb., 1807.

VI. MOSES[7], b. 18 Mar., 1805, entered Phillips Exeter Academy, 1822, graduated Bowdoin College, 1829, A. M., teacher at Lyons, Iowa, publisher and editor; m. 17 Nov., 1836, ELIZA (Chetwood) SHEPPARD, widow of Clementine B. Sheppard.

VII. NANCY[7], b. 26 Apr., 1807, united with the church in Freeport on profession of faith, July 31, 1828, m. 16 Oct., 1832, GLADDEN MELCHER and dismissed to Second church, Portland, Me., Sept. 10, 1835.

VIII. JEANETTE[7], b. 30 Jan., 1809, m. 6 Mar., 1850, O. ISAAC DYER.

IX. MARY BABSON[7], b. 6 Sept., 1810, united with the church at Freeport on profession of faith, Oct. 8, 1837, d. 28 Aug., 1839.

X. CAROLINE[7], b. 30 Aug., 1812, united with the church on profession, Jan. 4, 1835, m. 3 Jan., 1843, ROBERT PENNELL and was dismissed to the church in Brunswick, Me., July 5, 1843.

XI. JOHN BABSON LANE[7], b. 4 Apr., 1815, united with the church at Freeport, Oct. 8, 1837, graduated at Bowdoin College, 1840, received honorary degrees of D.D., and Ph. D., m. 3 Sept., 1840, MARY L., dau. of Rev. Ethan and Mary STEVENS of Hallowell, Me.; m. second, 1 Aug., 1849, CAROLINE E., dau. of Seymore and Fidelia (Loomis) GOOKINS of Terre Haute, Ind.

51.

JOHN BABSON LANE[5] (Gideon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1774–1821, bap. Gloucester, Mass., 18 Dec., 1774, a shipwright and partner in the purchase of 111 square rods of Porter's Landing in Freeport, Me., for $473.50, Sept. 25, 1799.—*Cumb. Co. Records.* He ent. int. of m. at Freeport, with SARAH WINSLOW[6], of Falmouth, Me., 27 Apr., 1799 (Job[5] and Mary (Robinson) Nathan[4], James[3], Job[2], Kenelin[1]); she b. 22 Apr., 1778. Mr. Lane died of yellow fever at Harpswell, Me., about 1820.

Mrs. Lane m. second, TIMOTHY ROBINSON, Jr. of Windham, Me., he b. Berwick, Me., 30 Aug., 1784, son of Stephen and Constant (Alley) Robinson, a farmer, and d. 8 Feb., 1865. She survived her second husband, by whom she had three children, and died in Nov., 1870.

Sarah Robinson, parent and natural guardian to William Lane, Sarah Jane Lane, Charles Lane, and George Lane, all minors and children of John B. Lane late of Freeport, deceased, sold to William Lane of Windham, joiner, for $143.60, "one-fourth acre of land with buildings thereon, and another lot of 23 1-2 rods with buildings of which the said John B. Lane died possessed, subject however to the widow's right of dower."—*Cumb. Co. Record.*

Nine children of John B. and Sarah (Winslow) Lane:

I. LOUISA[6], b. 9 Nov., 1799, d. 1 Oct., 1800.

106. II. WILLIAM[6], b. 6 Apr., 1802, m. SOPHIA WIGGINS.

III. MARY ANN[6], b. 17 Sept., 1803, m. 1820, JOB WINSLOW AUSTIN; he b. Pownal, Me., 12 Dec., 1799, son of Jedediah and Miriam (Winslow) Austin, res. Pownal and South Brooks, Me., where she d. 5 Dec., 1857. He m. second, MARTHA (Russell) HATHAWAY and d. at South Brooks, 4 June, 1865.

IV. NATHAN WINSLOW[6], b. 19 Apr., 1804, d. Apr., 1806.

V. SARAH JANE[6], b. 18 Feb., 1807, d. Windham, Me., æ. 28 years.

VI. CHARLES[6], b. 29 Mar., 1809, d. æ. about 22 years.

VII. GEORGE[6], d. æ. about 18 years.

VIII. AMANDA[6], d. at an earlier age than George.

IX. JOHN BABSON[6], b. 1816, was adopted by Gideon Lane Soule, LL.D., entered Phillips Exeter Academy, 1834, graduated Bowdoin College, 1840, clergyman, Highland Park, Ill.

52.

PETER LANE[5] (Gideon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1776–1807, was bap. at Gloucester, Mass., 29 Dec., 1776. He bought of his father, Gideon Lane, and wife, Lydia, May 2, 1803, for $500.00, 12 1-2 acres of Lot 39, Range E, in Freeport, Me. He paid Joseph Mann, Jr., $500.00, Dec. 31, 1804, for land in Lot 39, Range E, Freeport.—*Cumb. Co. Record.*

"Freeport, May 25, 1805. Taken up in the Inclosure of the subscriber, a red mare with a white star in the forehead; the owner may have her again by proving property & paying Charges.—*Peter Lane.*

Entered by Nathan Wesson, Town Clk. Sent in to be recorded."

Peter Lane's heirs were taxed for real and personal estate in Freeport, May 1, 1825, 1827.

Peter Lane and EXPERIENCE BICKNELL entered their intention of m. at Freeport, 4 May, 1799. They settled on the Lane homestead at Pleasant Hill, East Freeport. She was b. 15 Apr., 1780, and d. 1 Oct., 1814. He d. 22 Jan., 1807.

Children born in Freeport:

107. I. THOMAS BICKNELL[6], b. 9 Mar., 1800, m. LEAH LOW CURTIS.

II. MARTHA[6], b. 25 Sept., 1802, m. JOHN ADDINGTON of Richmond, Me., had seven sons and one daughter, and d. 23 Aug., 1854, æ. 52 years.

III. MARY[6], b. 15 July, 1804, m. 1 Jan., 1824, JOSEPH TOWNSEND, son of Robert of Freeport, and had:

1. *Mirinda J.* 2. *Mary.* 3. *Joseph Henry*, Esq., of Mast Landing. 4. *Caroline.* 5. *Alpheus.*

IV. EXPERIENCE[6], b. 15 Sept., 1807. She sold to Thomas B. Lane, Apr. 8, 1829, one-third undivided part of 20 acres of land in Freeport, formerly belonging to the estate of Peter Lane, and is the same that the said Thomas B. Lane sold to Martha, Mary and the said Experience Lane by deed, Apr. 7, 1816.—*Cumb. Co. Deeds.*

She m. ISAAC DUNHAM of Winterport, Me. Children:

1. *Harriet N.* 2. *Corella.* 3. *Mary.* 4. *Isaac.*

53.

BENJAMIN LANE[5] (Benjamin[4,3], John[2], James[1]), 1752-1841, was bap. at Gloucester, Mass., 1 Dec., 1752, and m. by Rev. Obadiah Parsons, 3 July, 1775, SARAH DAVIS. She was bap. and admitted to the church at Annisquam, 27 Sept., 1778. He m.

second, by Rev. Ezra Learned, 26 Mar., 1816, ELIZABETH NORWOOD.

Mr. Lane removed from New Gloucester, Me., and settled in Poland, Me., on the 100-acre lot No. 73 in the First division—a part of which he bought of Joseph Newell of Newbury, Mass., for $200.00, May 3, 1796, and another part he purchased of John Woodman, of New Gloucester, for $70.00, May 16, 1798. He was party in other real estate transactions, Apr. 19, 1800, Dec. 15, 1802, Mar. 10, 1805, when he sold land in New Gloucester, which had fallen to him "by the estate of Benjamin Lane lately deceased."—June 17, 1807, Oct. 6, 1807, Dec. 9, 1812, Dec. 6, 1814, Oct. 29, 1816, Aug. 18, 1825, Aug. 22, 1829, Mar. 21, 1835.—*Cumb. Co. Deeds.*

The will of Benjamin Lane of Poland, dated Apr. 13, 1838, proved 3d Tuesday, Jan., 1842, makes bequests to wife, Elizabeth, to children and grand children, and names son, Zenas Lane and his wife Judith Lane executors.—*Cumb. Co. Wills.*

Children:

108. I. BENJAMIN[6], b. 14 Jan., 1777, bap. 27 Sept., 1778, the same day with his mother; m. HANNAH DOWNING.

II. JOHN[6], mentioned in his father's will, Apr. 13, 1838.

Perhaps the John Lane, mariner of Brunswick, Me., where he paid Samuel Henry $271.25 for land, Aug. 29, 1799, and paid Daniel Govin $184.00, for 23 acres, Nov. 23, 1802. He sold the 23 acres to Jacob Pennell for $184.00, Sept. 2, 1803, and the same date sold him 38 3-4 acres for $1166.00. Deed signed John Lane and Elethear X Lane.—*Cumb. Co. Deeds.*
(her mark)

III. SALLY[6], m. —— BAILEY, and is mentioned in her father's will, Apr. 13, 1838.

IV. OLIVER[6], was witness to deed of land from Jabez Cushman to Benjamin Lane of Poland, Dec. 6, 1814, and is mentioned in his father's will, Apr. 13, 1838.

V. NEHEMIAH[6], sold his brother, Zenas Lane, 33 acres of land in Poland, for $264.00, Feb. 19, 1817. The U. S. government passed an Act Jan. 9, 1815, to raise $6,000,000 additional revenue by direct taxation. Thirty-four cents were assessed on Nehemiah Lane's 50 acres of land, lot No. 79, First division in Poland. This tax he refused to pay and the land was sold at public auction, Aug. 10, 1818, for 41 cents, by Woodley Storer, collector for Seventh Collection District of Mass.—*Cumb. Co. Deeds.*

Nehemiah Lane and Orlistus P. Lane, probably his son, are mentioned in Benjamin Lane's will, Apr. 13, 1838.

VI. REBECCA[6], m. —— GLOVER, and d. before 1838, leaving children mentioned in their grandfather's will.

109. VII. ZENAS[6], m. JUDITH NORWOOD and JANE SAWTELL.

54.

ELIPHALET LANE[5] (Benjamin[4·3], John[2], James[1]), was born in Gloucester, Mass., bap. 8 Sept., 1754, m. in New Gloucester, Me., 14 Aug., 1777, RUTH PACOR. She owned covenant with the First church, New Gloucester, Aug. 27, 1780.

Child:

I. BETTY[6], bap. 10 Sept., 1780.

110. II. ELIPHALET[6], bap. 10 Sept., 1780, resided in Bethel and Wells, Me., m. first, —— BARBOUR, m. second, —— POWERS.

55.

SAMUEL LANE[5] (Benjamin[4·3], John[2], James[1]), 1761–1836, was b. 8, and bap. 20 Sept., 1761, in Gloucester, Mass., and moved when young with his parents to New Gloucester, Me. He sold to Olive Watson of Falmouth, Me., Dec. 16, 1790, for 15 pounds, Lot 41, in a gore of land between Bakerstown and Shepardsfield, and sold to Luther Perkins, June 5, 1825, for $600.00, one-third part of a saw-mill at Bog Falls.

Samuel Lane m. first, 15 June, 1791, POLLY DWINELL of Bakerstown, which formerly embraced the present Minot, Poland, Auburn, Danville and Mechanic Falls. He m. second, 14 July, 1794, DOROTHY HASKELL, both of New Gloucester, who d. 6 Nov., 1821, æ. 49 years; m. third, ent. int., 15 Oct., 1822, BETSEY EVELETH of New Gloucester. He d. 8 Apr., 1836, æ. 74 yrs., 7 ms.

Children:

I. SIMEON[6], of Poland, Me., 1826, m., and d. 8 June, 1849, æ. 54 yrs., 1 mo., 11 days, leaving four children:

1. *George*[7]. 2. *Chandler*[7], of Upper New Gloucester, Me., m. —— *Chandler*, a cousin, and had: 1) John[8], m. and lived in Upper Gloucester, Me. 2) Charles[8], unm. in 1899. 3) Addie[8], m. in Peru, Me. 3. *Daughter*[7]. 4. *Daughter*[7].

II. SAMUEL, Jr.[6], d. 17 Aug. 1840, æ. 40 years, leaving three children:

1. *Edwin*[7]. 2. *Otis*[7]. 3. *Evalina*[7].

III. POLLY[6], d. at about 18 years of age.

IV. MALINDA[6], d. young.

V. THOMAS[6], b. 2 May, 1804, m. 1 Mar., 1829, RHODA N., dau. of William ROWE. Thomas Lane of Poland, and Rhoda N., his wife and others, for $120.00 by Stephen Blaisdell Rowe, of New Gloucester, quit claim all their right to the farm of William Rowe in New Gloucester, Apr. 14, 1831.—*Cumb. Co. Record.*

He d. at Poland Corner, 3 Nov., 1892, æ. 88 years. Will and petition for probate, Nov., 1892. Charles Lane was appointed executor and his bond approved, Dec., 1892; inventory returned, March, 1893. Four children:

1. *Irene B.*[7], b. Poland, 1 Nov., 1830, m. *Wm. H. Roberts*, lived in Portland, Me., and d. 31 Jan., 1898.
2. *Mary Ann*[7], b. 24 Feb., 1834, d. 6 Oct., 1892.
3. *Charles*[7], b. New Gloucester, 29 Mar., 1838, res. Mechanic Falls, Me., executed his father's will, 1892-3.
4. *George B.*[7], b. New Gloucester, 23 Feb., 1846, resided Portland, Me., associated with the Portland Star Match Corporation, 1899.

VI. BENJAMIN[6], m. HANNAH PARSONS ADAMS of Sangerville, Me. Children:

1. *Benjamin Whidden*[7], d. when young.
2. *Julia*[7], b. 1 Nov., 1847, living, 1899.
3. *Samuel*[7], b. 8 Dec., 1850, trader in dry and fancy goods, boots and shoes, pianos and organs, Houlton, Me., 1899.
4. *Elizabeth Springal*[7], d. when young.
5. *Ann*[7], d. young.
6. *Hannah*[7], b. 11 May, 1860, living, 1899.

VII. SETH C.[6], trader of Poland, obtained judgment against Curtis Walker and sold at sheriff's sale, goods to the value of $34.86, damage and cost, Oct. 1, 1833. Probably *Edwin*[7] Lane of Auburn, Me., 1899, was a son.

VIII. JONATHAN[6], b. 27 Feb., 1812, of Poland, 1838, 1850, and still living there in 1899. His name appears many times in the transfer of real estate.—*Cumb. Co. Deeds.*

56.

JONATHAN LANE[5] (Jonathan[4], Benjamin[3], John[2], James[1]), 1780–1860, was bap. 18 June, 1780, by Rev. John Rogers. He resided in Gloucester, Mass., administered on his father's estate, Jan. 2, 1804, and was guardian to his minor sisters, Dorcas and Sally, Feb. 6, 1804. He m. first, 10 Dec., 1807, by Rev. Ezra Learned, PEGGY or MARGARET GROVER. Both were admitted to the church at Annisquam, Mass., Aug. 6, 1804. She d. 30 July, 1824, dau. of James and Sally (Woodbury) Story of Essex, Mass. He m. second, 9 Oct., 1825, SALLY GOINS, who d. 23 Nov., 1885, æ. 98 yrs., 10 ms., 21 ds. He d. of palsy, 22 Dec., 1860, æ. 80 yrs., 8 ms., 3 ds.

Children:

I. CHILD[6], d. 27 Oct., 1808.

II. JONATHAN, Jr.[6], bap. Aug., 1809, fisherman, m. MARY GOING; she b. Essex, Mass., 5 Nov., 1810, d. Rockport, Mass., 23 Nov., 1891, æ. 81 yrs., 18 ds., dau. of John and Sally (Story) Going. He d. 14 May, 1851, æ. 42 years. Their children:

1. *Phebe*[7], d. 27 Oct., 1864, æ. 25 years.

"Dearest sister, thou hast left us,
Here thy loss we deeply feel,
But 'tis God that hath bereft us,
He can all our sorrows heal."
—*Cemetery, Annisquam.*

2. *George*[7], b. 13 Nov., 1843, fisherman, m. 15 Nov., 1883, by Rev. W. H. Rider, *Augusta C. Saunders;* she b. Gloucester, 12 Oct., 1840, dau. of Henry and Clarinda (Woodbury) Saunders. She d. of peritonitis at hospital, Boston, Mass., 25 Sept., 1896, æ. 55 yrs., 11 ms., 18 ds. Child:

1) Annie A.[8], b. 2 Mar., 1884.

III. CHILD[6], d. in summer of 1812.

111. IV. FREDERICK[6], b. about 1813, m. JUDITH STORY.

V. INFANT[6], buried, 28 Apr., 1815.

112. VI. ALLEN[6], b. 1819, m. CHARLOTTE SARGENT.

57.

MOSES LANE[5] (Jonathan[4], Benjamin[3], John[2], James[1]), 1781–1856, b. 14 Dec., 1781; res. Gloucester, Mass.; m. first, OLIVE LOWE, who was b. Ipswich, Mass., 23 Aug., 1792, and d. 12 Feb., 1823, æ. 30 years; m. second, 29 Jan., 1828, by Rev. Ezra Learned, MARY FELLOWS, who was b. 7 Dec., 1797, and d. 19 Apr., 1880, æ. 82 years. He d. 20 Apr., 1856, æ. 74 yrs., 4 ms., 6 ds.

Children:

I. MARY OLIVE[6], b. 1 Aug., 1820, bap. Sept., 1821; ent. int. 24, was pub. 25 July, and m. 18 Aug., 1841, by Rev. Josiah K. Waite, JOSEPH MOORE, Jr. of Annisquam. Had one son:

1. *Joseph*, m. *Lucy Todd* of Gloucester.

II. MOSES AUGUSTUS[6], b. 11 Jan., 1823; gunner, U. S. Navy, Brooklyn, N. Y. and California; m. 16 Sept., 1862, by Rev. Geo. W. Skinner, ANN SARGENT; she b. about 1836, dau. of Oliver W. and Sophia Ann Sargent. He retired to Everett, Mass., where he d. suddenly, 31 Oct., 1888, æ. 65 yrs., 9 ms., 20 ds., and was buried at Annisquam. "Gentle and kindly in disposition, and with a manly integrity of character above reproach, all were his friends who knew him and many hearts will be pained to learn of his sudden death."—*Rev. Perry Bush.*

Children:

1. *Otis*[7], b. 10 Aug., 1852.
2. *Four Daughters*[7].

58.

ABNER LANE[5] (Hezekiah[4], Benjamin[3], John[2], James[1]) was bap. Gloucester, Mass., 19 Nov., 1769, settled in Pennsylvania. Probably had wife, MARY THORN, and children:

113. I. JOHN[6], m. RACHEL TYLER.

II. THOMAS[6], lived at Waverly, Tioga Co., N. Y.

III. ESTHER[6].

59.

JOSEPH LANE[5] (Joseph[4], Benjamin[3], John[2], James[1]) was born in Gloucester, Mass., 8, and bap. 25 Nov., 1770. He ent. int. of m. 13 Oct., 1792, with BETSEY JEWETT of Ipswich, Mass.

Their children were:

I. JOSEPH[6], b. 5 Sept., 1794. Joseph Lane of Poland, Me., refused to pay the direct U. S. government tax of 34 cents on 50 acres of land and the land was sold at public auction by revenue collector for 41 cents, Aug. 10, 1818.

II. HANNAH[6], bap. 23 June, 1798, was insane a number of years and died 21 June, 1819.

III. CHILD[6], d. Dec., 1805.

IV. STEPHEN[6], a mariner, m. and d. of consumption, 9 Aug., 1852, æ. 46 years.

V. LARA[6], b. 1808, d. 14 Aug., 1843, æ. 35 yrs., 3 ms., 6 ds. Had wife, RUTH or CHARLOTTE, and daughter:

1. *Lizzie M.*[7], b. about 1833, m. at Rockport, Mass., 3 July, 1864, by Rev. W. C. High, *Reuben H. Ellis*; he b. Harwich, Mass., son of Barnabas and Abigail Ellis.

VI. AARON[6], b. 1813.

60.

EBENEZER LANE, JR.[5] (Ebenezer[4], Job[3], John[2], James[1]) 1763–1810, was born in Gloucester, Mass., 1763, a farmer, lumberman and mill owner in New Gloucester, Me. He ent. int. of m. 5 Feb., 1785, with MARGARET GRAFFAN, dau. of Peter and Mary Graffan of Windham, Me.

John and Peter Graffan were among the 61 subscribers towards building the meeting-house at New Gloucester, in 1770 and 1771. Peter Graffan bid off the building of a pound at New Gloucester, for £3, 12s., 8d., in 1774. He was chosen on the committee of safety at New Gloucester, Mar. 23, 1778.

Peggy Lane, wife of Ebenezer Lane, Jr., received the first share in the division of her father, Peter Graffan's estate in New Gloucester, and her husband paid $70.00, May 2, 1796, for the second share of 8 3-4 acres, which

was set off to her sister, Mary Graffan of Portland, Me., single woman. Ebenezer Lane, Jr., also paid $83.00, Oct. 23, 1801, for 3 1-2 acres of the share of Lewis Graffan, a minor, in said estate. These and other lands he sold to Ebenezer Lane for $500.00, Aug. 7, 1807.

Ebenezer Lane, Jr., united with Ebenezer Lane and Job Lane, all of New Gloucester, July 4, 1796, in paying Thomas Bagley, $800.00, for lands and mills in Poland, Me. He sold to Richard Gowell, for $300.00, Feb. 6, 1804, one-fourth of a saw-mill in Minot, Me., on Lot 98. With Peggy, his wife, he sold to Ebenezer Lane, innholder, for $500.00, Nov. 4, 1806, his interest in Nason's mills on Little Androscoggin river. He united with Ebenezer Lane, innholder, Jan. 11, 1807, in selling to Job Lane, for $114.00, 50 acres of land, Lot 72, in the proprietors' division, partly in Minot and partly in Poland. He paid Ebenezer Lane $500.00, July 26, 1808, for the north-east half of Lot 20, Division 2, with buildings, it being the same lot Ebenezer now lives on. This estate, Peggy, his wife, relinquishing her claim to dowry, he sold to Job Lane, for $600.00, Nov. 17, 1809. Ebenezer Lane, Jr. and Peggy Lane, his wife, in her right in the estate of Peter Graffan and Mary, his relict, received, June 8, 1810, one-fourth of the new grist-mill privilege, 25 acres of land, etc., the same being the whole tract sold by John Graffan of Lewiston, Me., to said Peter Graffan by deed, Jan. 24, 1778.—*Cumb. Co. Deeds.*

Ebenezer Lane, Jr., became embarrassed in estate and died of apoplexy, 13 Aug., 1810, æ. 47 years.

Margaret Lane of New Gloucester, widow, bought of Lydia Campbell, July 9, 1828, for $100.00, one-quarter part of a mill privilege in New Gloucester, the same being set off as part of the dower of Mary, late widow of Mr. Peter Graffan, deceased, being known by the name of the upper grist-mill privilege on Royal's river.—*Cumb. Co. Deeds.*

Mrs. Margaret (Graffan) Lane died in New Gloucester, Me., 20 Nov., 1849, æ. 84 years.

Five sons and four daughters:

I. MARGARET[6], d. 10 June, 1802, æ. 17 years.

II. SARAH[6], m. Mr. HOCKINS.

114. III. Hon. EBENEZER[6], b. 1793, m. CELESTE HEARSEY.

IV. ANDREW[6], a merchant in New Orleans, La., aided his brother, Ebenezer, in educating the younger brothers and in establishing Lane Theological Seminary at Cincinnati, Ohio. He died in New Haven, Conn., in 1862, æ. 66 years, leaving an estate of about $60,000.

V. WILLIAM A.[6], graduated Bowdoin College, 1819, professor in Louisiana College, merchant and cotton planter in Feliciana

Parish, La. William A. Lane of Clinton, La., Mar. 14, 1839, bought of Abiel Chandler of Boston, Mass., for $2048.00 several pieces of real estate in Gorham, Me.

VI. GEORGE[6], after graduating from Bowdoin College, went to Princeton Theological Seminary to study for the ministry, and d. of consumption in a few years in Virginia.

VII. SON[6], d. in infancy.

VIII. DAUGHTER[6].

IX. DAUGHTER[6], youngest of the family, living in Ohio, 1869.

61.

JOB LANE[5] (Ebenezer[4], Job[3], John[2], James[1]), was bap. at Sandy Bay, now Rockport, Mass., 23 June, 1765.

The Pejepscot Purchase included the present Brunswick, Durham and other lands on the Androscoggin river in Maine. Job Lane of Pejepscot paid Andrew Robinson Giddinge, 84 pounds, 12 shillings, lawful money, Feb. 9, 1789, for 84 acres of land in the great lot, No. 7, of the Pejepscot Claim.

Job Lane, Ebenezer Lane, innholder, and Ebenezer Lane, Jr., all of New Gloucester, Me., paid $800.00, one-half by Job Lane, one-fourth by Ebenezer Lane, and one-fourth by Ebenezer Lane, Jr., to Thomas Bayley, July 4, 1796, for 47 acres of land, it being the north-easterly part of lot No. 47, in the first Division of Poland, Me., together with half the saw-mill, grist-mill, privilege, etc. The same party secured the other half of the land for $120.00. Sept. 4, 1796. Again the same party paid George Erskine, $300.00, for 100 acres of land in Poland, Dec. 16, 1799.

Job Lane of Pejepscot paid Ebenezer Lane, innholder, and Ebenezer Lane, Jr., $114.00, Jan. 11, 1806, for 50 acres, being one-half of Lot 72, in the division made by the proprietors, partly in Minot and partly in Poland. He already owned the other half of the lot. The same year, Dec. 27, 1806, Job Lane paid Ebenezer Lane, innholder, $950.00, for 100 acres, lot No. 28, in Minot.

Job Lane of Pejepscot paid Ebenezer Lane, $5000.00, Jan. 11, 1808, for 60 acres, lot No. 11, in 2d Division, New Gloucester. Job Lane and Polly Lane witnessed, Jan. 14, 1808, deed of land from Ebenezer Lane to his daughter, Sally Bridgham, 60 acres, lot No. 10, in 2d Division, New Gloucester. The same day the land was leased by Alden Bridgham and Sally Bridgham, his wife, to Ebenezer Lane for the term of his natural life, he paying an annual rent of 10 cents.

Job Lane of Pejepscot paid Ebenezer Lane, Jr., and his wife, Peggy Lane, $600.00, Nov. 17, 1808, for 30 acres, the northerly half of Lot 20, in Division 2, made by the proprietors of New Gloucester.

Job Lane paid Ebenezer Lane, $700.00, Dec. 4, 1808, for a mortgage of 50 acres of land in New Gloucester, "which I purchased of William Bridgham."

Job Lane of Pejepscot paid his father, Ebenezer Lane of New Gloucester, Dec. 4, 1809, for land with buildings, Lot 11, Division 2, in New Gloucester, $1.00, and the same day leased the premises to his father for one cent annually during said Ebenezer Lane's natural life, "the estate being the same which the said Ebenezer Lane conveyed to me in Jan., 1808."

Job Lane of Pejepscot sold Ebenezer Lane, Jr., wheelmaker, for $200.00, Sept. 22, 1814, 30 acres of land, the north-easterly half of Lot 20, Division 2, New Gloucester, land he had bought of Ebenezer Lane, Jr., deceased, Nov. 17, 1809, and the same day took a mortgage on the estate for $250.00, the right to dower of Peggy Lane, widow of Ebenezer Lane deceased, only excepted.

Job Lane of Pejepscot, his wife, Polly Lane, relinquishing her right to dower, sold to Ebenezer Lane, for $500.00, Apr. 12, 1815, Lot 11, Division 2, New Gloucester, the same land which the said Ebenezer Lane purchased of Nathaniel Allen, and the same on which the said Ebenezer now lives.

Job Lane of Danville, and Polly Lane, his wife, in her right, quit claim to Anna Lane of Danville, single woman, Oct. 16, 1821, all right to 50 acres of land in Danville, which was set off to William Giddinge as heir to the estate of Andrew Giddinge, formerly of Gloucester, late of Newburyport, County of Essex.

Job Lane of Danville, administrator on the estate of Ebenezer Lane, late of New Gloucester, sold to William Haskell, for $282.00, June 28, 1828, Lot 11, Division 2, New Gloucester, on which the dwelling house of said Ebenezer stands.

Job Lane and Polly, his wife, in her right, for $2000.00, paid Jan. 31, 1831, conveyed to William G. Lane, our only son, all our interest in 200 acres of land in Danville, in the Andrew and William Giddings estate, late of Newburyport, formerly of Gloucester, Mass.—*Cumb. Co. Records.*

Job Lane ent. int. of m. 8 Nov. 1794, with POLLY GIDDINGS, both of Pejepscot Claims, Me. She was b. Gloucester, Mass., dau. of Andrew and Elizabeth (Davis) Giddings and sister of Andrew Robinson Giddings, who m. Anna Maria Lane, a sister of Job Lane. They settled in New Gloucester and Danville, Me.

Six children:

I. POLLY[6], m. NATHAN PARKER of Baltimore, Md., and left:

1. *Mary Elizabeth.* 2 and 3. *Other Children.*

II. ANNA[6], m. JOHN SMITH of Danville, Me., and left five children.

III. BETSEY[6], of Danville, "singlewoman and gentlewoman," paid Edward Little, Esq., $1980.00, July 14, 1841, for all his right in the farm of the late William G. Lane of Danville, gentleman, and for pew No. 16, in the meeting-house. The same date she sold this farm to John McKeene, Esq., of Brunswick, for $330.00, subject to a mortgage to Edward Little, for $522.00. Witness, Job Lane.

IV. LUCRETIA[6].

V. REBECCA[6], not married.

VI. WILLIAM G.[6], only son. He paid $2000.00, Jan. 31, 1831, to his parents, Job and Polly Lane, for their interest in the Andrew and William Giddings estate at Danville. The estate of William G. Lane, late of Danville, gentleman, was conveyed to Edward Little, Esq., of Danville, by Nathaniel L. Ingersoll, administrator, for $1980.00, Apr. 28, 1841. He m. JUDITH HASKELL of Danville, Me., and left:

1 and 2. *Two children*[7].

62.

ANDREW LANE[5] (Andrew[4], Job[3], John[2], James[1]), b. Sandy Bay, now Rockport, Mass., 5 Mar., 1778, bap. 14 June, 1778; ent. int. of m. 20 Dec., 1799, with DORCAS POOL; she b. Rockport, 6 Oct., 1780, and d. his widow, 15 July, 1858, æ. 77 yrs., 9 ms.

Children:

I. ESTHER[6], b. 22 Mar., 1801.

II. SALLY[6], b. 28 Jan., 1803.

III. DORCAS[6], b. 4 May, 1805.

IV. LOIS[6], b. 9 July, 1807.

115. V. ANDREW, Jr.[6], b. 14 Feb., 1818, m. SUSAN S. SIMPSON.

VI. MARY ELIZA[6], b. 31 Oct., 1821.

VII. CHILD[6], d. unnamed.

63.

CAPT. GEORGE LANE[5] (Andrew[4], Job[3], John[2], James[1]), 1780–1838, born Rockport, Mass., 13 Feb., 1780, m. first, published 9 May, 1801, LUCY TARR, who d. 25 Aug., 1802; m. second, pub. 11 Feb., 1804, SALLY GOSS, dau. of William and Abigail Goss of Rockport, who d. his widow, 10 Jan., 1863, æ. 75 years. His will dated Apr. 7, 1838, was presented for probate, May 8, 1838, George Lane, Jr., executor. Inventory returned, July 5, 1838, $9067.08. Bequests to wife, Sally Lane, she to provide a comfortable maintenance for the children during their minority.

Children of George and Sally (Goss) Lane:

116. I. GEORGE[6], b. 1 Nov., 1808, m. DELIA SAWYER ROWE and ADELIA POOL.

II. LUCY[6], b. 3 Aug., 1807, m. —— WITHAM.

III. SALLY[6], b. 23 Dec., 1809, d. 26 June, 1829.

IV. BETSEY GOTT[6], b. 20 Mar., 1813, d. 11 June, 1825.

V. MARIA POOL[6], b. 22 May, 1814, m. —— LOWE, and had:

1. *Betsey*. 2. *Eben S.*, d. before 1838.

VI. CHARLES[6], b. 14 May, 1816, carpenter, ent. int. of m. 11 July, and m. 18 Aug., 1845, by Rev. W. Gale, ESTHER TARR, dau. of Henry and Esther (Parsons) Tarr; she b. Rockport, and d. 23 Feb., 1895, æ. 79 years. He d. 14 May, 1890, æ. 74 yrs., 2 ms., 28 ds.

VII. ABIGAIL GOTT[6], b. 16 Oct., 1818.

VIII. ALLEN GOSS[6], b. 31 Aug., 1821, three years service by substitute in the Civil War, Co. M., 4th Regiment, Heavy Artillery; m. ELIZABETH, dau. of Dea. John and Betsey WALLIS of Rockport, who d. 9 Dec., 1858, æ. 36 years. He d. 9 Oct., 1881, æ. 60 yrs., 1 mo., 8 ds. Their children:

1. *Gorham Norwood*[7], b. 27 Dec., 1845.
2. *Child*[7], b. 30 June, 1848, d. æ. 6 weeks.
3. *Allen W.*[7], b. 3 Feb., 1850, d. Aug., 1850, æ. 6 months.
4. *Ella Elizabeth*[7], b. 21 Aug., 1851, milliner, d. 22 Oct., 1894, æ. 43 yrs., 2 ms.
5. *Allen W.*[7], d. Danvers Insane Asylum, 5 Sept., 1882, unm., æ. 25 yrs., 9 ms.

IX. ELIZA TARR[6], b. 17 Oct., 1824.

X. LAURA[6], b. 30 Nov., 1826, d. 31 July, 1829.

XI. ALFRED[6], b. 3 Jan., 1829, specially remembered in his father's will: "To my youngest son, Alfred Lane, three shares in the Sandy Bay pier stock, for his education. This bequest is in consideration of the inability in one of his arms." He was a minor, 10 years of age, and George Lane was appointed his guardian, May 8, 1838.

XII. LAURA[6], b. 14 July, 1831.

64.

STEPHEN LANE[5] (Samuel[4,3,2], James[1]), b. 8 Aug., bap. 2 Oct., 1743; ent. int. of m. 1 Mar., and m. ANNA HASKELL, 21 Mar., 1769, by Rev. Samuel Chandler. He perished by shipwreck with Capt. Jonathan Dennison, of the schooner Neptune, at Scituate, Mass., Dec. 28, 1774.

Children:

117. I. STEPHEN[6], b. 13 Oct., bap. 24 Dec., 1769, by Rev. John White, First church, Gloucester, Mass.

II. ANNA[6], b. 2 Aug., bap. 11 Aug., 1771.

III. SAMUEL[6], b. 28 Dec., 1772, bap. 3 Jan., 1773.

118. IV. JONATHAN DENNISON[6], b. 7 Sept., bap. 19 Sept., 1775, presented for baptism by the widow Anna (Haskell) Lane; m. SARAH RING HASKELL.

65.

DANIEL LANE, JR.[5] (Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), was born in Gloucester, Mass., and baptized there 21 Aug., 1763, by Rev. Ebenezer Cleaveland of the Fifth Parish. He settled in Leeds, Me., where he took from Nathaniel Sawtell, deed of lot No. 68, Mar. 29, 1787, acknowedged Mar. 10, 1790.—*Cumb. Co. Deeds.*

He m. first, EUNICE VERRILL, who d. in Leeds, 17 May, 1802; m. second, RUTH PRATT.

Children by first marriage:

I. EUNICE[6], b. 29 Sept., 1787, m. 16 Feb., 1807, DANIEL FOSS[4] of Saco, Me., and d. in Leeds, 16 Oct., 1810. He was b. in Saco, 21 June, 1785, and d. 14 Jan., 1821, son of Uriah and Sarah (Goodridge) Foss[3], (Levi[2], Walter[1]), and twin brother of Cyrus Foss[4], who m. Polly Lane[6], (Giddings[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3.2], James[1]).

119. II. JOSHUA[6], b. 6 Feb., 1789, m. MEHITABLE BRITT.

III. NANCY[6], b. in Leeds, 19 Mar., 1790, d. 18 Jan., 1811.

IV. DANIEL 3d[6], b. in Leeds, 19 Mar., 1792, d. 22 July, 1812.

V. LOIS[6], b. in Leeds, 12 Mar., 1794.

VI. MARY[6], b. in Leeds, 19 July, 1796, d. unm. in New Bedford, Mass.

VII. ELIPHALET G.[6], b. in Leeds, Jan., 1799, d. 28 Apr., 1802.

VIII. SAMUEL[6], b. in Leeds, 30 Apr., 1802, d. 12 May, 1802.

By second marriage:

IX. ELIPHALET GILMAN[6], m. Miss BERRY, and settled in Illinois.

X. OLIVE[6], b. 16 Mar., 1806, m. 25 Mar., 1824, JOSIAH MOULTON.

XI. LORINDA[6], b. 10 May, 1809, m. 28 Sept., 1826, the same JOSIAH MOULTON.

Josiah Moulton m. first, Sarah Brown, and had: Sarah, b. 23 Mar., 1823. He seems to have had no children by second marriage. By third wife, Lorinda Lane, he had *Daniel Lane*, b. 18 Aug., 1829. *Olive Lane*, b. 15 Sept., 1832. *Cyrus King*, b. 22 Mar., 1837, d. 16 Mar., 1853. By a fourth wife he had Alvira Pratt, b. 12 Sept., 1842. Lewis Allen, b. 4 Feb., 1844. Loretta, b. 29 May, 1745, d. 17 June, 1853. Josiah Henry, b. 6 May, 1847. John Parker, b. 19 May, 1849. Josephine Amelia, b. 23 Aug., 1851.

66.

JAMES LANE[5] (Daniel[4], Samuel[3.2], James[1]), was born in Gloucester, Mass., 26 Sept., 1767, m. ABIGAIL, dau. of Increase and Betsey C. LEADBETTER of Camden, Me., and settled in Leeds.

Eleven children born in Leeds:

I. PHEBE[6], b. 13 July, 1793, m. SHEPHERD CAREY. Children:

1. *John Lane.* 2. *Nelson.* 3. *Adolphus S.* 4. *Orman.*

II. JOANNA[6], b. 18 Oct., 1794, m. 30 June, 1814, PEREZ S., son of Samuel and Olive (Tupper) JENNINGS, and d. 9 Apr., 1863; he b. in Leeds, 2 Mar., 1792, and d. 19 June, 1853. Children born in Leeds:

1. *Orville*, b. 14 Jan., 1825, was twice m., became U. S. district attorney in Arkansas, and d. in Little Rock, Ark. His son, Dr. Chester Jennings, resided in Little Rock.
2. *Gustavus A.*, b. 11 June, 1827, m. Ann Jennings and occupied the homestead at Leeds.
3. *Florus*, b. 29 Jan., 1829, m. 24 May, 1860, *Orrah M.*, dau. of Uriah and Mary Leadbetter *Foss;* she b. in Leeds, 28 Jan., 1842. They lived in Leeds and Farmington, Me. Children:

1) Elmer, b. 28 May, 1861, m. in Farmington, 13 Sept., 1888, Mary V., dau. of I. S. and Sarah Jacobs; she b. 8 Nov., 1861. 2) Flora, b. 19 Apr., 1865, m. in Farmington, 30 June, 1890, J. Eugene Brown, son of Joseph L., and Mary (Hilton) Brown; he b. in Augusta, Me., 17 Nov., 1862. They had Zilda Jennings, b. 27 Nov., 1891, and Leo Jennings, b. 10 Aug., 1895.

4. *Eliza A.*, b. 13 June, 1833, m. 5 May, 1852, *Isaiah Beals Additon*, son of Thomas and Anna (Beals) Additon; he b. 10 Nov., 1823. Children:

1) Flora L., d. 25 Feb., 1862, æ. 9 years. 2) Juliette J., d. 15 Feb., 1862, æ. 7 years. 3) Orville I., b. 31 Aug., 1853, principal of High school, Cordova, Ill., m. Lucy A. Benner, and had Forrest O., and Henrietta S. 4) Lorette, d. 10 Mar., 1862, æ. 7 months. 5) Fred L., b. 28 Jan., 1864, m. Leonora I., dau. of Francis E. and Eleanor (Pettengill) Howe, and had Orville I. and Ernest F.

5. *Roscoe G.*, b. 13 June, 1833, professor of clinical surgery and dermatology in Industrial University, Little Rock, Ark.
6. *Rollin F.*, b. 11 June, 1837, resided in Mason City, Iowa.

120. III. JOHN[6], b. 31 Aug., 1796, m. VESTA PHILLIPS.

IV. ABIGAIL[6], b. 13 May, 1798, m. 6 Oct., 1822, STEPHEN, son of Benjamin RACKLEY of Greene, Me., and d. 19 Feb., 1862. He engaged in trade at Leeds and accumulated a good property. Children:

1. *Benjamin.* 2. *Benjamin.* 3. *Daughter;* all died young.

V. ASENATH[6], b. 24 Mar., 1800, m. Dr. DAVID HALE, son of David and —— (Kingsbury) Hale of Conn. He res. Turner, Me., Fayette Falls, Me., about 1843, and Livermore Falls, Me., where he d. in 1868. Children:

1. *Mary A.* 2. *Pitt Fessenden.* 3. *Florentine.*

VI. ELIZA[6], b. 1 May, 1802, m. NATHANIEL, son of Nathaniel and —— (Strickland) PERLEY, a merchant in Livermore, Me., 1852, and after the Civil War removed to Illinois, where he died. Children:

1. *Peleg*. 2. *John Lane*. 3. *Samuel F.*, m. *Sarah D.*, dau. of William H. *Brettun*, Jr., lived at Brettun's Mills, Livermore, Me., and had one child, Bessie B. 4. *Eliza*.

VII. HANNAH[6], b. 15 Nov., 1804, m. AMMI WOODMAN of Leeds and had:

1. *Ellen M.* 2. *Annie C.* 3. *Charles E.* 4. *Aubrey Lane.* 5. *Abigail Lane.* 6. *Laura Jane.* 7. *Hannah Lane.*

VIII. EUNICE[6], b. 20 Apr., 1807, d. 18 Jan., 1809.

IX. COLUMBUS[6], b. 23 Mar., 1809, m. first, MARY PERKINS; m. second, 27 Jan., 1834, RACHEL BILLINGS, and d. Dec., 1891. Elmer H. Morice, adm., April, 1891, on estate of Columbus Lane of East Livermore, Me. One child:

1. *Rosebelt*[7], res. Lowell, Mass.

X. ALDEN[6], b. 29 Mar., 1813, m. MARY RACKLEY of Greene, Me. Eugene S. Goding was adm. on estate of Alden Lane of East Livermore, Me., August, 1887. Children:

1. *Benjamin*[7], m. —— *Pullen* in Cal. 2. *Eliza*[7], m. *George Cochran.* 3. *Ellen*[7], m. *Tyler Newton.* 4. *Jossie*[7], m. *Ensign S. Goding* of East Livermore, Me.

XI. JAMES[6], b. 1 Jan., 1816, m. LOUISA WYMAN of East Livermore, Me., owned estate at East Livermore, and d. about 1887. Will and petition for probate, Dec., 1887. Louisa W. Lane, executrix, Jan., 1888; bond filed, Feb., 1888; inventory returned, Apr., 1888. They had:

1. *Francina*[7]. 2. *Ella*[7], m. —— *Thompson* of Livermore Falls, Me. 3. *Avis*[7].

67.

GIDDINGS LANE[5] (Daniel[4], Samuel[3.2], James[1]), 1770–1836, was born New Gloucester, Me., 5, bap. 14 May, 1770, took up woodland in Littleboro, afterwards Leeds, Me., which has never been sold out of the family and where his grandsons, Cyrus B. and Gustavas W., now live. He m. 6 Sept., 1788, JEMIMA NOR-

RIS; she b. 30 Oct., 1770, dau. of Samuel and Lydia (Washburn) Norris.

Lydia Washburn was dau. of Ephraim and Mary Washburn, and is thought to have been a Mayflower descendant through John Winslow, Mary and James Chilton.

Four sons of Samuel Norris sailed from Sandwich, Mass., to the Androscoggin river in the ship "Sandwich Harbor." The father and sons settled at a place first called New Sandwich, but changed to Wayne, Feb. 12, 1798, in honor of Gen. Anthony Wayne.

Mr. Lane was a large man and his wife a small but very smart woman. When five years old, she attended with her parents, a reception to Gen. George Washington. At the age of eighteen, she knit herself a pair of stockings from sun to sun, and spent the day in visiting. When her husband cleared up wild land, she drove the oxen to plough the first furrow. Surprised by Indian alarms, she burned her featherbed to keep the savages from coming down the chimney. She and her children were great singers, one or more of the family sitting in the choir for many years. Mother, daughter and grandson have sung together in public celebrations. The singing school always met in her living room. Sitting in the corner knitting and without a book, she could learn the tunes better than others with books. She died 14 Apr., 1865, the day President Abraham Lincoln was assassinated.

The first Baptist meetings in Leeds, 1794 to 1800, were held in Mr. Lane's barn, then new. He gave the land for their meeting-house and boarded two workmen while it was building, to June, 1800. When the First Baptist church of sixteen members was organized, July 2, 1800, Mr. and Mrs. Lane were received to membership and he chosen deacon. Every Sunday a general invitation was given to all the congregation to partake of his hospitality, and tables were spread in his shed for all who would stay at noon. The brothers, Daniel, James and Giddings Lane, were corporate members of the Baptist society, June 23, 1804. Dea. Giddings Lane owned the first carriage and the first set of china in Leeds, and at death was the richest man in town. He died 29 Jan., 1836.

OBITUARY OF DEACON GIDDINGS LANE.

"Died in Leeds on the 29th ult. Dea. Giddings Lane, aged 62 yrs. and 5 ms. Dea. Lane became a member of the Baptist church in Leeds at its organization in June, 1800. He was then invested with the office of deacon, the duties of which he faithfully discharged until prevented by age and sickness. In his Christian course, he always cherished unyielding attachment to the truth, and being possessed of a sound and discriminating mind, he was able to detect the slightest deviation from the rules and requirements of the gospel. In church government he was mild and compassionate, but firm and persevering. In the sanctuary his seat was sure to be filled: he did not sit in

cool, critical speculation, but received the message in sincerity and with a view to honor God. His approbation of the truth was sometimes evinced by an expressive smile. In the absense of a minister he often had some interesting sermon which he read, much to the edification of his hearers. During the week he seemed delighted to visit and to receive Christian company. His home was ever open to the friends of Christ, and his conversation was eminently instructive. Many a young Christian has gone to him with doubts and perplexities which he has removed.

Dea. Lane did much for the cause of morality and religion. He has labored much, he has sacrificed much, and in him the church and society at Leeds sustain a great loss. But we trust that our loss is his gain, for in his last moments he exemplified the truth of the Scripture, 'Mark the perfect man and behold the upright, for the end of that man is peace.' "

Thirteen children born in Leeds:

121. I. POLLY[6], b. 6 Feb., 1790, m. CYRUS FOSS.

122. II. ALPHEUS[6], b. 6 Dec., 1791, m. SALLY FOSS and ELIZABETH STANCHFIELD.

III. LYDIA[6], b. 13 Apr., 1794, m. 7 Oct., 1813, JAMES, son of William and Hannah (Leadbetter) LINDSAY; he b. 26 May, 1789, of Scotch descent. They lived in Lincoln, Me., removing to Milo, Me., in 1833, and to Medford, Me., in 1864, where he d. 9 Feb., 1870. Children:

1. *Abigail*, b. 16 Mar., 1815, d. 16 June, 1817.
2. *Lucy*, b. 10 Dec., 1817, d. 29 June, 1839.
3. *John*, b. 10 May, 1819, m. 13 July, 1844, *Rebecca*, dau. of Moses and Peggy *Sturdivant*; she b. in Milo, 15 May, 1825, and d. in Medford, 17 Dec., 1895. They had:

1) Charles, b. 17 May, 1845. 2) Ida M., b. 22 Feb., 1853. 3) Florence, b. 2 June, 1856. 4 Azel, b. 31 May, 1858. 5) Fred, b. 27 Nov., 1859. 6) Abby Jane, b. 8 Mar., 1863. 7) Myra, b. 24 Feb., 1865.

4. *Abigail*, b. 18 May, 1821, m. *Levi Johnson* of Milo.
5. *Dulcinea*, b. 2 June, 1824.
6. *Charles*, b. 6 Dec., 1827, was in the Civil War, and res. Lewiston, Me.
7. *Martha Jane*, b. 2 Apr., 1830.
8. *Francis*, b. 27 Oct., 1835, killed in the War of the Rebellion.
9. *James*, b. 16 Mar., 1837, was killed by a whale in South Pacific ocean.

IV. JEMIMA[6], b. 1 Mar., 1796, m. 8 May, 1814, LUTHER LEADBETTER. Daughter, *Rosannah*, m. *Charles Walton* of Centreville, Me.

V. DORCAS[6], b. 19 July, 1798, m. ISSACHAR LANE[6], (Peter[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3.2], James[1]).

VI. FANNY[6], b. 12 Sept., 1800, m. 6 Dec., 1820, EDWARD JONES.

123. VII. GIDDINGS[6], b. 16 May, 1802, m. CASSANDRA BENSON.

VIII. SAMUEL[6], b. 7 May, 1806, m. CATHERINE PINGREY. Son:

1. *Alonzo*[7], living, 1896.

IX. SUSAN[6], b. 15 July, 1808, m. first, in May, 1834, JONATHAN JEWELL, second, in June, 1838, HORACE GOULD of Winthrop, Me., and had:

1. *Helen*. 2. *Hannah*, m. and left two daus., living in Lewiston, 1896.

X. RUTH[6], b. 11 July, 1810, d. young.

XI. ESTHER[6], b. 31 May, 1812, m. first, 12 Apr., 1836, VERANUS, son of Sullivan LOTHROP of Lewiston and Leeds. Their children:

1. *Warren Lane*, b. 23 July, 1848, m. in Corinna, Me., 27 Nov., 1867, *Abbie F. Knowles*, res. Lewiston, and had:

1) Ina R., b. 8 Aug., 1869, d. 29 Oct., 1872.

2. *Aubrey Giddings*, b. 9 Apr., 1854, m. in Jefferson, Me., 16 Oct., 1876, *Luretta S.*, dau. of James and Caroline *Avery*, res. Lewiston, and had:

1) Theodore A., b. 22 Sept., 1880. 2) Clyde, b. 12 Aug., 1887.

Mrs. Lothrop m. second, in 1880, Dea. T. C. LIBBY, whom she survived, and d. 21 Apr., 1896.

124. XII. CALVIN[6], b. 6 Sept., 1814, m. DULCINIA LOTHROP.

XIII. NANCY[6], b. 5 Jan., 1817, m. in Mar., 1838, HARRISON GOULD of Leeds, and had:

1. *Cordelia*, m. *Giddings Foss*, and lived in Auburn, Me.
2. *Thomas Francis*, d. young.

68.

ELIAS LANE[5], (Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), was bap. New Gloucester, Me., 19 Apr., 1772, m. MARY LAWRENCE, and settled in 1790, in Leeds, Me., where she d. in Sept., 1835; m. second, 16 Jan., 1838, MRS. ABBIE BROWN. He d. 3 Jan., 1845.

Their children:

I. ELIZABETH[6], b. 8 Aug., 1794, m. 14 Nov., 1816, Hon. LEAVITT LOTHROP, and d. in Auburn, 12 Jan., 1878. He was b. in Vassalborough, Me., 19 May, 1793, son of George and Polly (Thayer) Lothrop; settled in Leeds, and in 1826, moved to farm occupied by D. F. Lothrop, in 1896, where he d. 17 Apr., 1849. Their children:

1. *Elias Lane*, b. 19 Nov., 1817, m. 24 Apr., 1842, *Jane Morse* of Lisbon, Me., went to California in 1849, and d. there in 1853. Children:

1) Leavitt, b. 1848. 2) Mary, b. 1849.

2. *Davis Francis*, b. 11 Sept., 1820, m. 8 Nov., 1846, *Caroline S. Morse*, dau. of Jonathan and Jane (Sibley) Morse of Lisbon. Children:

1) Flora S., b. 1847, m. Frank Higgins. 2) Adonis, b. 1849. 3) Eugene, b. 1851. 4) Elias, b. 1853, m. Lucile Piazia, dau. of Swiss consul at New Orleans, at time of Civil War. 5) Seville. 6) Irving Scott, b. 1856. He resided in Louisiana, where he and Elias owned adjoining plantations on the Mississippi river, 24 miles below New Orleans. 7) Olive Morse, b. 1858, m. John Turner, M. D., and lived in Bangor, Me. 8) Ralph K., b. 1860.

3. Col. *Warren Lane*, b. 5 July, 1823, enlisted in U. S. Army, 1845, fought in the Mexican and Civil Wars, and d. at Tallahassee, Fla., 1866.

4. *Caroline Elizabeth*, b. 17 Oct., 1825, m. 20 Feb., 1848, *Augustus Foss*. Children, five living in California and two in Manchester, N. H., 1896:

1) Frank A., b. 1848. 2) S. Lawrence, b. 1853. 3) Elizabeth L., b. 1855. 4) Sarah Jane, b. 1856. 5) Emma B., b. 1858. 6) Eunice F., b. 1860. 7) Carrie L., b. 1862. 8) Levi Roys, b. 1864. 9) Warren Lothrop, b. 1867, graduated Bowdoin College, 1891.

5. *Mary Jane*, b. 12 July, 1833, m. in 1855, *Charles C. Lane*, who d. 25 Oct., 1857. She res. Pendleton, Oregon, 1896. Child:

1) Neva C., b. Leeds, 7 Dec., 1856, a teacher in Pendleton, Oregon.

II. DAVID[6], b. 17 May, 1797, m. 9 Nov., 1823, LYDIA BREWSTER. Their children:

1. *Elias*[7], b. 1824, d. 25 July, 1847.
2. *Lorina*[7], b. 21 Jan., 1830, res. Lewiston, Me.
3. *Salmon P.*[7], b. in Sept., 1832.

III. WARREN[6], twin, b. 27 July, 1801, d. 7 Feb., 1823.

125. IV. ALVAN[6], twin, b. 27 July, 1801, m. LUCY MITCHELL and HANNAH DONHAM.

69.

PETER LANE[5] (Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), born 1776, lived in New Gloucester and Leeds, Me.; m. first, LOIS VERRILL,

who had 6 children and d. 21 Jan., 1808; m. second, 1808, GRACE, dau. of William and Joanna TURNER, who came from Bridgewater, Mass., to Littleborough, now Leeds, in 1787. Peter Lane d. 10 Jan., 1844; his widow d. 8 Dec., 1851.

Fourteen children born in Leeds:

126. I. ELIPHALET G.[6], b. 28 Aug., 1796, m. LYDIA S. TRASK.

127. II. ISSACHAR[6], b. 2 May, 1798, m. DORCAS LANE[6] (Giddings[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3.2], James[1]).

III. DAVIS[6], b. 16 Apr., 1800, m. first, 11 Apr., 1828, HARRIET HAYWARD; m. second, Mrs. ALMIRA SPEAR, and d. 13 Apr., 1886. One son:

1. *Davis E.*[7], was a dentist in Hartford, Conn.

IV. JESSE[6], b. 2 Aug., 1803, m. 19 Dec., 1824, CHARLOTTE, dau. of Capt. Edward and Judith (Lane[5]) JONES (Daniel[4], Samuel[3.2], James[1]), and d. 1 Dec., 1845; she b. 15 May, 1800, and d. 9 Apr., 1881. Two children.

1. *Emery*[7], b. 1828, d. 28 Jan., 1848.
2. *Davis*[7], b. 1836, d. 7 June, 1858.

V. JUDITH[6], b. 17 Oct., 1806, m. her cousin, PHILIP, son of Nathaniel and Lydia (Lane[5]) NORCROSS (Daniel[4], Samuel[3.2], James[1]), of Hallowell, Me., and d. 11 Mar., 1828; he b. 8 Dec., 1800, and d. 7 Dec., 1831. Children:

1. *Marian*, m. Mr. *Tozier* of Waterville, Me., and had son in Gardiner, Me., 1896.
2. *Adeline*, m. *Jarvis Wilson*, and had children, moved from Hallowell, to Exeter, N. H.

VI. LOIS[6], b. 25 Nov., 1807, m. ELIAS PRINCE, and d. 2 Oct., 1887. Children:

1. *Sarah.* 2. *Charles.*

By second marriage:

VII. SAMYNTHA[6], b. 28 Oct., 1809, m. her cousin, 1833, DANIEL S., son of Capt. Edward and Judith (Lane[5]) JONES (Daniel[4], Samuel[3.2], James[1]). Children:

1. *Oren.* 2. *Selden.* 3. *Clarkson.* 4. *Benjamin F.* 5. *Abbie.* 6. *Fred.*

VIII. PETER[6], b. 6 Sept., 1815, m. first, 16 Feb., 1840, LUCRETIA P., dau. of Stillman HOWARD, m. second, 28 May, 1845,

MARY J., dau. of James PALMER of Cornville, Me. He first engaged in trade at Brighton, Me., moved to Skowhegan, Me., about 1849, and to Portland, Me., 1860, where he became a leading wholesale dry goods merchant. About 1872, he purchased in Leeds the original farm where his uncle, Daniel Lane, Jr.[5], settled and has made his 200 acres at Chapel Hill most productive and keeps about 50 thoroughbred Jersey cows. In politics a Republican, in religious preference a Universalist.

IX. JOANNA[6], b. 11 Aug., 1818, never married.

X. MARIANNA[6], b. 28 Apr., 1821, d. 13 Aug., 1827.

XI. EUNICE[6], b. 8 Dec., 1824, m. 19 Oct., 1845, BEMUS LAMB. One son:

1. *Frank*, b. 16 May, 1851, d. 15 Apr., 1868.

XII. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN[6], b. 30 Mar., 1826, m. first, CAROLINE FULSOM; m. second, JANE HAMMOND of Brunswick, Me., and resided in Weymouth, Mass. Children:

1. *Frank*[7]. 2. *Hattie*[7].

XIII. CHARLES H[6]., b. 1 Apr., 1828, m. first, 1854, SARAH TURNER, who d. 1893; m. second, 1894, Mrs. NELLIE WRIGHT.

XIV. HARRIET H[6]., b. 16 Oct., 1832, m. 1852, BENJAMIN TURNER, and d. 1892. Children:

1. *George Harvey*. 2. *Peter L.* 3. *Grace*.

70.

SAMUEL LANE[5] (Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), of Leeds and Hallowell, Me., m. first, JUDITH VERRILL, by whom he had no children; m. second, FRANCES, dau. of Alvan NYE of Bangor, Me., who d. 19 Dec., 1831, æ. 29 years. He d. Dec., 1842. Both are buried at Hallowell, Me. In 1828, Mr. Lane invented a corn sheller which consisted of a spur wheeled cylinder from which all the standard shellers now in use have descended. In 1833, he completed his endless chain horse power with a cylinder having

high gearing which was regarded as a very successful invention.—*Hist. Kennebec Co.*

Children born in Hallowell:

I. HARRIET MARIA[6], b. 19 Nov., 1823.

II. HENRY K. W.[6], b. 9 July, 1825.

III. SAMUEL AUGUSTUS[6], b. 17 Dec., 1829.

71.

ISSACHER LANE[5] (Issacher[4], Samuel[3.2], James[1]), was bap. 21 Dec., 1760, in the Fourth church, Gloucester, Mass., He m. SUSAN HALL of Matinicus, Me., and was one of the early settlers at Vinalhaven, Me.

Martin Pring, June 7, 1603, seeing a number of gray foxes upon an island in Penobscot Bay, named the group Fox Islands. The largest of these islands was first settled permanently in 1765, and incorporated as Vinalhaven, June 25, 1789, named in honor of John Vinal, Esq., of Boston. The town in 1829 voted to exempt those persons living on Lane's Island, from paying highway tax.

Mr. Lane settled on what is now the Roberts homestead. While gunning, an accidental discharge of a gun so mangled one of his hands that amputation was necessary. He went at once to Rockland, Me., where the operation was performed by Dr. Barnard. Mr. Lane afterwards followed the sea for a while, and then moved away from Vinalhaven.

72.

BENJAMIN LANE[5] (Issacher[4], Samuel[3.2], James[1]), 1762–1842, was born in Gloucester, Mass., 31 July, 1762, bap. 1 Aug., 1762, m. 10 Dec., 1789, MARGARET HALL of Matinicus; she b. 9 Mar., 1769, and d. 28 Aug., 1849. They settled at Vinalhaven, Me., after the War of the Revolution, and lived on Lane's Island, which he purchased from Thaddeus Carver. Here he d. 21 Dec., 1842.

Seven children :

I. MARGARET[6], b. 27 Apr., 1790, m. 19 Nov., 1811, DAVID SMITH, and d. 22 Apr., 1875.

II. BENJAMIN[6], b. 25 Nov., 1791, m. at Vinalhaven, 28 Dec., 1813, DESIRE PHILBROOK; she b. 5 Mar., 1793. They had one or two children at Vinalhaven, and then removed to the state of Ohio.

III. SUSANNA[6], b. 4 Jan., 1794, m. 22 Jan., 1818, THADDEUS ROBERTS, and d. about 1870.

128. IV. JOHN[6], b. 19 Mar., 1796, m. REBECCA AREY.

129. V. JOSEPH[6], b. 31 Aug., 1800, m. ABIGAIL AREY.

130. VI. JAMES A.[6], b. 4 Dec., 1802, m. LYDIA SMITH.

131. VII. TIMOTHY[6], b. 1 Jan., 1805, m. REBECCA SMITH.

73.

WILLIAM LANE[6] (Nicholas[5], William[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), was bap. 14 Mar., 1773, a sailmaker of Salem, Mass. He bought land of Hannah Crowningshield in Salem, Dec. 18, 1799; was administrator on his father's estate, Oct. 30, 1815, and on estate of Nathaniel B. Lane of Salem, mariner, intestate, Dec. 5, 1837. He m. about 1796, ELIZABETH, dau. of N. BROWN; she bap. at East church, Salem, 1 Oct., 1797, and d. 12 June, 1819, æ. 42 years.

Children baptized at East church, Salem, Mass.

I. ELIZA[7], bap. 1 Oct., 1797.

II. NANCY[7], bap. 25 Aug., 1799.

III. MARY[7], bap. 8 Nov., 1801.

IV. WILLIAM[7], bap. 4 Mar., 1804.

V. ABIGAIL WELLMAN[7], bap. 12 May, 1806.

VI. NATHANIEL BROWNE[7], bap. 28 Aug., 1808.

VII. FRANKLIN[7], bap. 5 June, 1814.

VIII. EDWARD BROWNE[7], bap. 5 June, 1814.

74.

JOHN LANE[6] (Nicholas[5], William[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), bap. 30 Aug., 1795. Perhaps the John Lane of Fox Island, Me., descended from John Lane at Flatstone Cove, Lanesville, Mass., where old bricks were lately dug up. His wife was HANNAH FELLOWS of Ipswich, Mass., where they settled.

[Mary F. Lane d. 19 Apr., 1880, widow, age 82 yrs., 4 ms., 12 ds.; she b. Ipswich, dau. of Nathan Fellows, and wife Hannah (Brown) both of Ipswich.]

Son:

132. I. GEORGE[7], b. about 1813, m. LUCINDA POLAND.

75.

JOSIAH LANE[6] (Josiah[5,4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), 1771–1833, b. New Gloucester, Me., 15 Jan., 1771, where he lived and d. 19 Jan., 1833, æ. 62 years. He ent. int. 30 Mar., 1795, with ABIGAIL ROWE CLEAVES; she b. 3 Oct., 1773, and d. 25 July, 1834, æ. 61 years.

Josiah Lane and wife quit claim all right in the estate of Jonathan Row, late of New Gloucester, to Jonathan Rowe, one of the heirs, for $300.00, Mar. 23, 1796, and also sold their claim in the dower of Betsey, widow of Jonathan Row, for $600.00, May 10, 1805. He was a party to the transfer of real estate seven times between 1796 and 1814. He settled on an estate which he purchased of Cotton Tufts and Samuel Tucker in 1799. This farm he bequeathed to his wife, and it was sold by his heirs to Benjamin Rollins, May 1, 1838.—*Cumb. Co. Deeds.*

Children:

I. ISAAC[7], b. 1 Oct., 1795, a resident of New Gloucester, 1838. Isaac and wife MARY (Metcalf) LANE of New Gloucester had children:

1. *Sarah A.*[8], b. 5 June, 1840, m. first, 13 May, 1858, *John F. Bickford*, second, *Elbridge Foss*, res. Upper New Gloucester, 1899. Children by first marriage:

1) Mary. 2) Willis. 3) Elmer Ellsworth.

2. *Lorentus N.*[8], b. 15 Nov., 1842.
3. *Alonzo M.*[8], b. 5 Jan., 1844.
4. *Albert M.*[8], b. 15 Nov., 1848, d. unm.

II. JOSIAH[7], b. 7 Dec., 1796, a student, and party in transfer of real estate, 1827–1842; settled as a physician in Lisbon, Me., and d. 11 June, 1850.

III. JONATHAN R.[7], b. 26 May, 1798, had wife BETSEY M., and son.

1. *J. C.*[8], of Upper Gloucester, Me.

IV. ABIGAIL D.[7], b. 25 Oct., 1800, d. 1 Jan., 1815, æ. 14 yrs., 2 ms., 7 ds.

V. CYNTHIA[7], b. 13 Sept., 1802, d. 28 June, 1844.

133. VI. EDMUND CLEAVES[7], b. 23 Oct., 1804, m. MARY RING HUMPHREY.

VII. MOSES[7], b. 16 Sept., 1806, m. 18 Oct., 1829, ANGELINA TYLER, and d. in Minot, Me., 10 Aug., 1831, æ. 25 years, leaving:

1 and 2. *Two Daughters*[8].

VIII. MARY E.[7], b. 23 Dec., 1808, was living in New Gloucester, 1838.

IX. JANE C.[7], b. 6 Mar., 1811, m. EPHRAIM G. GORDON of Poland, Me., and d. 25 Jan., 1858.

134. X. SETH[7], b. 18 Mar., 1813, m. HANNAH C. C. ROWE.

XI. JULIA ANN[7], b. 24 Mar., 1815, d. New Gloucester, 27 Feb., 1853.

XII. ABIGAIL C.[7], b. 7 June, 1817, was residing in New Gloucester, 1838.

XIII. ADDISON[7], b. 1 Mar., 1821; as a minor and heir of Abigail Lane, his guardian Jesse Hayes sold his share in her estate to Benjamin Rollins, Dec. 1, 1838. He was a student at Yarmouth Corner, 1838-9; he held the office of deacon at Melrose, Mass., and d. before 1875.

76.

ISAAC LANE, JR.[6] (Isaac[5], Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), b. Gloucester, Mass., 19 Sept., 1772, was witness to a deed, April 8, 1789, settled in the Whittemore District, Paris, Me., and worked

at his trade of a blacksmith. He received 149 votes, Nov. 3, 1828, as delegate at large in the Presidential election of 1828. He m. ESTHER COOK of Conway, N. H.

Children:

I. BETSEY[7], b. 15 June, 1813, m. LEWIS MONK, and d. Aug., 1841.

II. WILLARD[7], b. 17 Mar., 1815.

III. ABIGAIL[7], b. 24 Apr., 1818, d. 7 Nov., 1840.

IV. JOHN M.[7], b. 15 Oct., 1820, m. —— COBURN, (son of Sumner?) of Sumner, Me.

V. MARY ANN[7], b. 3 Apr., 1823, m. first, CHARLES LANE; m. second, CHARLES A. BUCK.

VI. GEORGE B.[7], b. 5 Nov., 1826, d. 15 Oct., 1841.

VII. FRANCES[7], b. 8 July, 1830, m. SOLON G. WALKER.

77.

LEVI LANE[6] (Isaac[5], Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), was bap. 30 Apr., 1775, and was an early settler in East Gray, Me.

He paid Isaac Lane $550.00, Oct. 4, 1797, for 129 acres of land, half of Lots 5 and 3 and one-quarter of Lot 1, all in the Third Division in Gray. These lots held in common between father and son were divided among them, Nov. 24, 1800. He bought of Daniel Gordon, for $40.00, Oct. 29, 1801, part of Lot 6, in Third Division; paid Benjamin Lebby, Jr., $36.00, May 31, 1817, for three acres of land in Gray; paid John Russell $83.34, Apr. 10, 1821, for part of Lot 31, in Second Division. With Sarah Lane his wife, he sold to Levi Lane, Jr., for $1500.00, Feb. 1, 1827, lands in Gray and New Gloucester, containing 148 acres with buildings.—*Cumberland Deeds.*

Levi Lane of New Gloucester, Me., and SARAH HICKS of North Yarmouth, Me., entered intention of marriage, 3 Feb., 1797. She was the 1048th member of the First church in North Yarmouth, and joined June 5, 1842, by public profession of faith.

Barnabas Freeman of Yarmouth, who had m. Sarah, the widow of Levi Lane, administered on his estate and quit claim to Caleb Marston, for $300.00, July 4, 1850, part of Lot 1, Range A, in

Pownal, Sarah, wife of said Barnabas, relinquishing her right of dower. She died 2 Aug., 1851, æ. 72 years.

Children:

I. LEVI, Jr.[7], owned a stage line from Portsmouth, N. H., to Berwick, Me., and d. unm. at North Yarmouth.

He was taxed in District No. 4, 1823; paid Levi and Sarah Lane, $1500.00, Feb. 1, 1827, for 148 acres of land with buildings in Gray; bought 18 acres and 32 square rods of George Bennet, June 14, 1833; mortgaged 94 acres in North Yarmouth to David Dana of Portland, for $1000.00, May 5, 1834; bought of Joseph E. F. Cushman, July 7, 1834, a part of Squadron No. 13, in North Yarmouth; bought of William N. Bennett, Apr. 22, 1837, 24 acres and 12 rods of lot No. 1, partly in Gray and partly in New Gloucester; sold to Joseph H. Lane of Gray, for $2500, Sept. 8, 1847, five tracts of land in Gray, New Gloucester and North Yarmouth.—*Cumberland Co. Records.*

135. II. JOSEPH HICKS[7], b. about 1807, m. MIRANDA MERCHANT.

III. SARAH H[7].

IV. ADALINE[7], m. —— ALLISON, and d. leaving no children.

V. OLIVE A.[7], m. SAMUEL BUCKMAN of Falmouth, Me.

VI. ELIZA[7], m. NATHANIEL MERRILL of Cumberland, Me.

VII. DORCAS C.[7], m. Capt. CHARLES L. LORING of North Yarmouth, Me.

VIII. MARGARET[7], m. —— CHAMBERS of Portland, Me.

IX. SARAH H.[7], m. ANDREW JACK of Topsham, Me.

X. SYRENA L.[7], m. NATHANIEL WRIGHT of Otisfield, Me.

XI. ADELAIDE[7].

78.

CAPT. BENJAMIN PROCTOR married BETSEY LANE[6] (Levi[5], Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]); she b. in Boston, Mass., 26 Jan., 1779. Capt. Proctor was lost at sea, 18 Feb., 1811, æ. 33 years. He set sail with one or more of his brothers and his household effects, intending to settle in the West Indies and then send for his family, but the vessel and all on board perished in a severe storm in Massachusetts Bay. Mrs. Proctor was known as

"Eliza," d. 23 Feb, 1865, æ. 86 yrs., 28 ds., and lies buried in the Frye family lot at Dorchester, Mass., North Cemetery.

Seven children:

I. ELIZA, d. in infancy.

II. BENJAMIN, d. young.

III. ELIZA 2d, m. WILLIAM MORRIS. They went West, and she d. in Arkansas. Among the children was:

1. *Mary*, m. first, Mr. *Jessup*, but was divorced; m. second, Mr. *Gracie*, and had children by each marriage.

IV. ABBA, d. unm.

V. MARY FRANCIS, b. Newton, Mass., 3 Nov., 1807, m. in Trinity church, Boston, Mass., by Rev. W. Gardener, 5 Aug., 1827, CHARLES M. HOLMES of New York city; he b. 10 Nov., 1804, and d. prior to 1896. She d. 5 Jan., 1873, æ. 65 yrs., 2 ms., 2 ds. Ten children:

1. *Catherine Eliza*, b. New York city, 8 Feb., 1829, m. *William J. Knapp* of Jersey City, N. J. They had:

1) William J. 2) George. 3) Clara.

2. *Mary Ann*, b. 15 Mar., 1831, m. first, *Thomas S. Gore* of England, and lived in New York city; m. second, *Peter E. Jacobus* of Caldwell, N. J. Children of Thomas S. and Mary Ann (Morse) Gore:

1) William James of Montclair, N. J. 2) Thomas Edward of Newark, N. J. 3) Caroline Augusta, m. S. H. Bowmam of Caldwell, N. J. 4) Alexander Dowie of Caldwell. 5) Alfred Mather of East Orange, N. J. 6) Sarah Frances, m. William Aubry of Caldwell.

3. *James Seryweegeour*, b. 21 July, 1833, m. *Phoebe Ann Van Velsor* of New York city and had:

1) James S. 2) Emily.

4. *Abbie Proctor*, b. 19 May, 1836, unm., Summit, N. J.

5. *Charles Muir*, b. 15 July, 1838, m. *Harriett M. Hawes* of Towanda, Pa., and had:

1) Harriett. 2) Elizabeth.

6. *Caroline Frances*, b. 19 Apr., 1841, m. *George E. Poole* of Long Branch, N. J., lived in Newark, N. J., and had:

1) George E. 2) Caroline.

7. *Benjamin Proctor*, b. 13 June, 1843, m. *Georgianna Klingle* of Philadelphia, Pa., resided in Summit, N. J., and had:

1) Arthur Klingle. 2) La Rue Klingle.

8. *Adrian Banker*, b. 4 Sept., 1845, m. *Sarah B. Sanford* of Newark, N. J., and had:

1) Florence.

9. *Alfred Peckham*, b. 23 June, 1848, unm., d. 3 Dec., 1852.
10. *Edward Cook*, b. 11 Dec., 1850, was of John L. Armitage & Company, Newark, N. J., m. 21 May, 1874, *Eliza Jane Jenkinson*, and had:

1) Edward Charles, b. 6 June, 1875. 2) George Jenkinson, b. 13 Jan., 1877. 3) Clarence Leslie, b. 3 Mar., 1880. 4) Eliza Jane, b. 14 May, 1882. 5) Mary Frances Proctor, b. 24 Mar., 1884. 6) Richard Jenkinson, b. 3 Feb., 1886, d. 15 Aug., 1894. 7) Henry Donald, b. 20 Feb., 1887. 8) James Douglass, b. 2 Feb., 1893, d. 13 Mar., 1893.

VI. GEORGE BURROUGHS, b. Newton, Mass., 22 Aug., 1810, m. in Boston, 5 Dec., 1835, HARRIET GLAZIER; she b. Middlebury, Vt., 20 Apr., 1820, and d. South Boston, 29 Mar., 1874, æ. 73 yrs., 11 ms., 11 ds. Mr. Proctor resided in Boston, New York and South Boston, and d. at Wellesley Hills, Mass., 2 May, 1892. Fifteen children:

1. *Harriet Elizabeth*, b. Boston, 29 Sept., 1836, m. 15 Feb., 1860, *James H. Beck* of Boston, resided in South Boston and Wellesley Hills, Mass. Children:

1) Hattie L., b. South Boston, 8 Dec., 1860, m. 10 Oct., 1883, Richard Cunningham of Wellesley Hills, and had Shirley B., b. 27 Aug., 1884. Richard B., b. 6 Dec., 1885. Dorothy, b. 15 Apr., 1891. Phyllis, b. 23 Nov., 1892. 2) Lewis, b. 1 Feb., 1865, d. 9 Sept., 1865. 3) George P., b. Hyde Park, Mass., 4 Mar., 1868, d. 14 Mar., 1869. 4) Harry J., b. South Boston, 8 Feb., 1870, m. 9 Oct., 1895, Annie M. Parsons of Lenox, Mass. 5) Albert H., b. 22 Mar., 1871. 6) Ella M., b. 13 Sept., 1872.

2. *Mary J.*, b. 8 Apr., 1838, d. New York, 2 Mar., 1840.
3. *George B.*, b. New York, Oct., 1839, served in the Civil War, and d. unm., Boston, 21 Nov., 1892.
4. *Charles J.*, b. 13 June, 1841, d. New York, 28 Mar., 1842.
5. *Benjamin*, b. Boston, 15 May, 1843, m. 20 June, 1869, Carrie H. Whitaker of South Boston. Children:

1) Benjamin, Jr., b. Boston, 26 Jan., 1878. 2) Edith M., b. 2 Oct., 1880. 3) George B., b. 5 Apr., 1882. 4) Grover C., b. 20 Jan., 1885.

6. *Abba B.*, b. 10 Aug., 1845, m. first, 15 July, 1872, *Manuel J. Gonsaloo* of Spain, who d. 13 May, 1879; m. second, 17 Feb., 1884, *Albert C. Noyes* of Colebrook, N. H., who d. 8 Aug., 1895. Children:

1) Lottie H. Gonsaloo, b. East Woburn, Mass., 7 Oct., 1873. 2) Ira Allen Noyes, b. Colebrook, N. H., 25 Dec., 1884.

7. *Charlotte G.*, b. 25 July, 1847, m. 3 Nov., 1867, *Charles P. Elms* of East Boston, and lived in South Boston. Children:

1) Lottie P., b. South Boston, 11 Aug., 1868, m. 11 Nov., 1890, George B. Elms of South Boston, and had: George B., Jr., b. 3 Oct., 1891. Lottie R., b. 22 Oct., 1892. Charles W., b. 20 Apr., 1894, d. 15 Aug., 1894. Harold W., b. 8 Nov., 1895. 2) Clarissa M., b. 30 July, 1870. 3) Harriet E., b. 19 May, 1874. 4) Jennie C., b. 17 Mar., 1876, m. June, 1896, Oscar Hubbard. 5) Charles P., b. 4 July, 1883, d. 9 June, 1889.

8. *Charles Marsh*, b. South Boston, 22 Apr., 1849, d. 13 July, 1885, m. 20 Feb., 1874, *Georgianna Hunt* of Brookline, Mass., and had:

1) Charles M., Jr., b. Brookline, 18 Feb., 1876. 2) Frank Hunt, b. Brookline, 7 Nov., 1878.

9. *Helen M.*, b. 24 June, 1851, m. 3 Oct., 1894, *Albert E. Troester* of Georgetown, Col.

10. *Marietta H.*, b. 30 Apr., 1853, m. 8 Feb., 1874, *Charles L. Stevens* of South Boston, and had:

1) Charles A., b. 18 Oct., 1874.

11. *Carrie F.*, b. 9 June, 1855, m. 19 Aug., 1874, *John D. Noyes* of Boston. Children:

1) Edwin L., b. Boston, 3 Sept., 1878. 2) George B., b. Roxbury, Mass., 6 June, 1880, d. 5 May, 1882. 3) Harriet E., b. 2 July, 1883. 4) John, b. Roslindale, Mass., 13 Mar., 1886. 5) Lulu B., b. 26 Dec., 1890. 6) Proctor, b. 19 Nov., 1894.

12. *Julia P.*, b. 24 Apr., 1857, m. first, 8 Oct., 1882, *Alonzo F. Erskine* of Boston, who d. 12 Dec., 1889; m. second, in Denver, Col., 29 July, 1891, *Samuel Powell*. Children:

1) Angie Maud Erskine, b. South Boston, 8 Oct., 1884; d. 20 Nov., 1884. 2) George D., b. 17 Feb., 1886. 3) Samuel Powell, Jr., b. Neponset, Mass., 12 July, 1892. 4) Helen P., b. Denver, Col., 7 Dec., 1894.

13. *Lulu A.*, b. 25 May, 1859, m. 13 Nov., 1878, *Charles L. Beck* of Wellesley Hills, Mass. Children:

1) Hannie L., b. South Acton, Mass., 1 Jan., 1880, d. 3 Dec., 1894. 2) Charles L., b. Somerville, Mass., 15 Jan., 1884.

14. *Minnie L.*, b. 17 Aug., 1861, m. at Denver, Col., 2 June, 1885, *John Watkins*.

15. *Frank P.*, b. 7 Nov., 1863, m. at South Boston, 16 May, 1886, *Annie C. Bolack*. Children:

1) Lottie M., b. South Boston, 9 Apr., 1888. 2) Louise P., b. 26 Jan., 1890. 3) Bertha H., b. 18 Jan., 1893. 4) Frank P., Jr., b. Dorchester, Mass., 30 Jan., 1896, d. 31 Jan., 1896.

VII. JOSEPH B., b. 18 Aug., 1811, m. 27 Nov., 1837, HELEN S. M. MONTGOMERY and d. 11 Aug., 1880. She was b. 22 July, 1817, and d. 22 Sept., 1891. Seven children:

1. *Eliza Lane*, b. Roxbury, Mass., 18 Oct., 1838, m. 18 Oct., 1859, *Alfred W. Bacon*, and resided in Danvers, Mass., 1896. Children:

1) John Lewis, b. 2 Sept., 1861. 2) Helen Dora, b. 5 Nov., 1864, m. 4 Aug., 1886, Charles D. Wentworth, and had: Philip Montgomery, b. 27 Nov., 1887. Marjorie, b. 15 Oct., 1892. 3) Harriet Rice, b. 16 Dec., 1869, d. 26 May, 1872. 4) George Alfred, b. 5 June, 1874, m. 8 Aug., 1896, Ella Walker. 5) Josie Lida, b. 9 Sept., 1877.

2. *Joseph Henry*, b. Lexington, Mass., 16 Feb., 1843, m. 7 Sept., 1864, *Elizabeth Ellis Allen*: she b. 12 Nov., 1843. Children:

1) David Allen, b. 18 Aug., 1866, m. 21 June, 1893, Fanny May Bibber and had: Earle Henry, b. 12 June, 1894. 2) Mattie Antoinette, b. 27 Feb., 1868, d. 12 Mar., 1881. 3) Joseph Montgomery, b. 18 Feb., 1871, d. 21 Nov., 1876. 4) Alfred Whiting, b. 14 Feb., 1873, d. 27 Nov., 1876. 5)

Charles Herbert, b. 15 Mar., 1877, d. 6 Mar., 1881. 6) Eliza Montgomery, b. 25 July, 1886.

3. *Charles Bates*, b. Lexington, Mass., 28 Nov., 1845, m. *Angelia Mark*. Children:

1) Helen Angeline, b. 26 Jan., 1870, d. 20 Aug., 1873. 2) Lizzie Esther, b. 6 Dec., 1871.

4. *Samuel Herbert*, b. Natick, Mass., 19 Aug., 1849, m. *Addie Herrick*. Children:

1) Herbert Herrick, b. 7 July, 1878. 2) Caroline Bartlett, b. 16 Nov., 1881. 3) Carl Stuart, b. 20 Mar., 1886.

5. *Helen Medora*, b. Natick, 2 Dec., 1854, d. 31 May, 1858.
6. *Caroline Bartlett*, b. 4 Nov., 1856, d. 10 Oct., 1880.
7. *Theodore Francis*, b. 25 Feb., 1859, d. 26 June, 1888.

79.

ITTAI PERRY, 1779–1847, was born in Hanover, Mass., 10 July, 1779, m. 21 Feb., 1808, ABIGAIL LANE[6] (Levi[5], Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]); she b. Boston, Mass., 15 Feb., 1782. They lived in Salem, Mass., where he d. 22 Apr., 1847, æ. 67 years. She d. 4 Apr., 1857, æ. 75 years.

Children:

I. ABBIE L., b. 19 Jan., 1809, d. unm., 14 Aug., 1885, æ. 75 yrs., 7 ms.

II. ITTAI, Jr., b. 5 June, 1810, was pilot of Salem harbor, Mass., m. 8 Dec., 1835, ABIGAIL HINMAN, dau. of Benjamin and Elizabeth Hinman of Salem. He d. 23 May, 1868, æ. 58 years. She d. 13 May, 1890, æ. 76 yrs., 2 ms. Five children:

1. *Abbie B.*, b. 14 Dec., 1836, m. 19 Sept., 1855, *Joseph E. Phippen*, son of Benjamin and Mary M. Phippen of Salem. Child:

1) Mary Abbie, b. 20 July, 1860, d. 10 Mar., 1861.

2. *Hannah S.*, b. 4 Dec., 1839, m. 8 Dec., 1859, *Bernard W. Hanscom* of Eliot, Me., who d. in Charlestown, Mass., 31 Dec., 1871, æ. 35 yrs., 4 ms. Three children:

1) Carrie S., b. 8 Apr., 1862, m. 29 Dec., 1879, Andrew D. Gardner, and had: Albert B., b. 28 Apr., 1880. 2) Ittai Perry, b. 15 July, 1864, m. 5 Oct., 1884, Florence Martin, and had: Carrie E., b. 6 May, 1885. Ittai P., b. 28 Oct., 1887. Charles E., b. 9 Jan., 1889. Harold P., b. 26 Mar., 1892. Helen E., b. 18 Feb., 1894. Walter C., b. 19 Jan., 1896. 3) Justin D., b. 22 May, 1869.

3. *Mary Elizabeth*, b. 28 Apr., 1842, d. 1 May, 1847, æ. 5 years.

4. *Lucy A.*, b. 12 Sept., 1844, m. 27 Sept., 1866, *John H. Hamilton*, and d. 4 Jan., 1885. Son:

1) Charles Henry, b. 4 Jan., 1867, d. 12 Aug., 1867.

5. *Mary E.*, b. 17 Dec., 1849, m. 15 Sept., 1867, *Eugene L. Thomas* of Salem, Mass., and d. 24 Dec., 1879, æ. 30 yrs., 7 ds. Five children:

1) Eugene Perry, b. 1 Jan., 1868, m. 3 July, 1893, Rachel Peach of Marblehead, Mass., and had: John Y., b. 4 Oct., 1894. 2) Mary Abbie, b. 5 Sept., 1869, m. 2 Dec., 1891, Fred Moore of Lynn, Mass., and had: Everett, b. 9 Mar., 1894. 3) Melissa C., b. 12 Aug., 1874. 4) Frank Augustus, b. 24 May, 1878, d. 25 Aug., 1878 5) Carrie H., b. 6 Aug., 1879.

III. FRANCIS L., b. 8 Feb., 1814, a pilot of Salem harbor, Mass., m. 8 Dec., 1833, MARY ANN CLOUGH, dau. of William and Hannah Clough of Salem. He d. 11 Aug., 1895, æ. 81 yrs., 6 ms. His widow was living with a dau. in Salem, 1896. Ten children:

1. *Mary Ann*, b. 22 Feb., 1834, d. Sept., 1836.
2. *Mary Ann*, b. 20 Dec., 1837, d. Jan., 1838.
3. *Francis E.*, b. 24 Feb., 1839, d. Aug., 1870.
4. *Annie A.*, b. 2 Apr., 1841, d. Aug., 1865.
5. *Horace S.*, b. 2 June, 1843, d. in the Civil War.
6. *George Y.*, b. 25 Dec., 1845, d. 20 Oct., 1853.
7. *Ittai*, b. 6 Jan., 1849, d. 20 July, 1880.
8. *Mary Ellen*, b. 2 July, 1850, m. 28 Nov., 1868, *George A. Caswell*. Four children:

1) Francis E., b. Sept., 1869, m. 1892, Katie Cole, and had: Bessie, b. Feb., 1895. 2) Arthur, b. Nov., 1870. 3) M. Lizzie, b. 4 Dec., 1872, d. 31 Dec., 1892, æ. 20 yrs., 27 ds. 4) Nellie, b. Nov., 1874.

9. *Hannah F.*, b. 8 Apr., 1855, m. 1877, *Lewis Bartlett*, and had:

1) Charles H., b. 17 Sept., 1887. 2) Hattie, b. Jan., 1890.

10. *George L.*, b. 8 Apr., 1858, d. 25 Aug., 1883, æ. 25 yrs., 5 ms., 17 ds.

80.

CAPT. NATHAN FRYE of Salem, Mass., m. as "Mary," POLLY LANE[6] (Levi[5], Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]); she b. Boston, Mass., 4 Mar., 1784, and d. 24 June, 1848. He d. 13 Feb., 1873; both are buried in Dorchester, Mass., North Cemetery. He was a sea captain in the East India trade, and a son of Benjamin and Sarah (Templeton) Frye of Salem, Mass., a lieutenant in the army of the Revolution, and descended from John Frye, who came from England in the ship Bevis in 1638, and settled in Newbury and afterward Andover, Mass.

Children:

I. NATHAN, Jr., b. Salem, Mass., 10 Dec., 1817, a sea captain. When quite young he left home to seek his fortune in distant lands. After visiting many places in the East Indies, he settled in the island of Mauritius, where he founded shipping docks and remained as manager until a few days prior to his death. He m. in Mauritius, 27 July, 1847, LOUISA ELIZABETH DAVY; she b. Mauritius, 13 Sept., 1827, and d. 13 Apr., 1874. He d. at Port Louis, Mauritius, 15 June, 1882.

"Was always kind and charitable, upright and just in all his dealings. A lifetime of genial hospitality, in addition to his many good qualities, gained him a numerous circle of appreciating friends; and he was finally laid to rest in the picturesque little church yard of St. Thomas. Scarcely a prettier resting place could be found than these tastefully arranged grounds of the quiet country church."—*Louisa Frye Prentiss.*

Issue:

1. *John Davy*, b. 6 Nov., 1848, d. Aug., 1884.
2. *Mary Elizabeth*, b. 25 Nov., 1849, d. 29 May, 1874.
3. *Henry James*, b. 5 Jan., 1850, d. Aug., 1871.
4. *Louisa*, b. 23 Mar., 1851, m. 16 Dec., 1873, *Thomas Theodore Prentiss* of Vermont, U. S. A. Children:

1) James Eugene, b. 11 Sept., 1874. 2) Thomas, b. 1 May, 1876. 3) May Louisa Lydia, b. 19 Apr., 1880. 4) Ethel Maud, b. 9 Mar., 1882, d. 23 Feb., 1883. 5) Christine Hazel, b. 25 Dec., 1887.

5. *Lucy*, b. 30 Aug., 1855.
6. *Grace*, b. 22 June, 1857, d. 10 Dec., 1861.
7. *Martha Georgina*, b. 23 Apr., 1860.
8. *Alice Maria*, b. 2 June, 1861.
9. *Lewis Powell*, b. 21 Mar., 1863.
10. *Annie*, b. 3 May, 1866.

II. JOSEPH, b. 22 Nov., 1819, a carriage manufacturer, South Boston, Mass., m. first, 20 Apr., 1842, SARAH FAXON; m. second, 21 July, 1853, AMELIA CLAPP. He d. Sharon, Mass., 7 Oct., 1893, and is buried in Dorchester, Mass., North Cemetery. Children by first marriage:

1. *Judith Maria*, b. 30 Jan., 1844, m. 18 Aug., 1864, *James Warren Mitchell*, and d. 8 Apr., 1873. Children:

1) Edith Faxon, b. 1866. 2) Nathan, b. 1868. 3) Charles Frye, b. 28 Mar., 1873.

2. *Mary Elizabeth*, b. 5 Mar., 1846, m. 6 June, 1871, *Melvin Adams*. Children:

1) Mary Elizabeth, b. 31 Mar., 1874. 2) Louise, b. 23 Aug., 1876.

Child by second marriage:

3. *Francis Henry*, b. 15 Nov., 1857, m. 27 July, 1882, *Mary Florence Clark*. Children:

1) Frank Edwin, b. 6 Apr., 1883, d. 18 May, 1883. 2) Frank Clark, b. 6 June, 1884. 3) Charles Harper, b. 26 Feb., 1886. 4) Walter Joseph, b. 5 Nov., 1888. 5) Marion Louise, b. 1 Jan., 1896.

III. WILLIAM, b. Salem, 29 Apr., 1822, mason and contractor, assistant inspector of buildings for the city of Boston, Mar. 6, 1873, to his death, 4 Sept., 1895. He m. Sept., 1849, in Philadelphia, ANN JANE BIRNIE; she b. New York, 30 Aug., 1825, and d. in Roxbury, Mass., 5 July, 1890. He was a member of Washington Lodge of Masons, Roxbury, and was buried at Mt. Hope Cemetery, Boston. Children:

1. *Mary Lane*, b. Philadelphia, 17 Mar., 1851, and resided in Roxbury, Mass.
2. *George Birnie*, b. Millburn, Ill., 27 Apr., 1855, m. Sept., 1890, *Rebecca Eleanor Robinson*, of St. Louis, and lives in the West.

IV. FRANCIS HENRY, b. Boston, 31 Aug., 1827, d. unm. 24 Sept., 1846, buried in Dorchester, North Cemetery.

81.

JOSEPH WARREN LEWIS, 1784–1844, was born 20 Sept., 1784, of the famous Lewis family of Boston, Mass., ship-masters and sailors. He became a wealthy merchant in the city and d. of apoplexy, 11 May, 1844. He m. 1 May, 1808, NANCY or ANN LANE[6] (Levi[5], Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]); she b. in Boston, 21 June, 1786, and d. in Bristol, R. I., 13 July, 1856.

Children:

I. JOSEPH HENRY, b. 7 Feb., 1809, d. Dec., 1813.

136. II. JULIA ANN, b. 20 Mar., 1811, m. CHARLES FREDERICK HERRESHOFF.

III. CAROLINE LOUISA, b. Boston, 18 Feb., 1813, d. Bristol, 8 Dec., 1865.

DR. SAMUEL RICHARDS.

IV. ELIZABETH GREENOUGH, b. Boston, 25 Nov., 1815, d. 21 Nov., 1878.

V. MARY WINSLOW, b. 25 Mar., 1817, m. GEORGE CARTWRIGHT; soon divorced and living in Bristol, 1897.

82.

SAMUEL RICHARDS, 1805–1880, was born Oxford, Me., 2 June, 1805, and d. 10 Oct., 1880, son of Tristram, a soldier of the Revolution at Ticonderoga, and his wife, Abigail (York) Richards, and grandson of John, 2d, and his wife, Abigail (Miles) Richards of Boston and Newbury, Mass. He m. 16 Jan., 1829, MARY LANE[6] (Francis[5], Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), 1792–1865; she b. North Yarmouth, Me., 7 Jan., 1792, and d. 31 Oct., 1865. They resided in Oxford, Me., and in Paris, Me., and were buried in the Fore street cemetery at Oxford.

Children:

I. TRISTRAM, b. 13 Mar., 1830, m. 1 Mar., 1857, HARRIET PIKE of Oxford, Me., and d. at South Paris, Me., in the early part of 1896.

II. SAMUEL, Jr., b. 30 July, 1832, served three years' apprenticeship at watchmaking with Simeon Walton of Paris, Me., and established himself as optician, watchmaker and jeweller at South Paris, Me., in 1856. He has become the most experienced practical optician in Oxford Co., and the only one who has earned four diplomas and the highest honors of the Optical Colleges. He has taken a deep interest in genealogical studies and done much to recover the history of his ancestors and kindred. He affirms: "It is but just to say that, from all my researches and intimate acquaintance with the children of Francis Lane, the soldier of Bunker Hill, I have found no stain upon the character of any. May we, their descendants, while we revere their memory, be careful . . . . to enter the narrow gate through which our Puritan ancestors have already passed to receive their reward."

Dr. Richards m. 5 Feb., 1862, SUSAN DEARBORN; she b. 2 Jan., 1840, dau. of Edmund and Almira (Cobb) Dearborn of Bridgton, Me. Their children born in South Paris:

1. *Flora May*, b. 17 Nov., 1862.
2. *Wilson Lane*, b. 24 May, 1865.
3. *Susan Almira*, b. 11 July, 1867.

83.

AMMI RUHAMAH LANE[6] (Francis[5], Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), 1794–1863, b. North Yarmouth, Me., 7 Mar., 1794, was named for Rev. Ammi Ruhamah Cutter, first minister of North Yarmouth, 1730–1735. He was a soldier in the war of 1812, and Aroostook war, so called. He bought land in Minot, Me., of Francis Lane, for $330, Mar. 20, 1815, and sold 50 acres of land in Minot, to Francis Lane, for $333, Feb. 20, 1817. Mr. Lane m. 21 Dec., 1824, ELIZA WHITEHOUSE of Oxford, Me. He resided in Minot, Oxford and South Paris, Me. He d. at South Paris, 16 June, 1863, æ. 69 yrs., 3 ms, 9 ds., a gentle, sympathetic, worthy man. His widow, b. 18 Oct., 1809, received a life pension for his service as a soldier and d. 18 Jan., 1884, æ. 74 1-4 years.

Their children:

I. ZENAS[7], b. 10 Nov., 1825, m. JUDITH SAFFORD, and resided at North Turner Bridge, Me. Mr. and Mrs. Lane made a very pleasant visiting trip to brothers, sisters and friends in Massachusetts, in the spring of 1883. Willie F. Young was appointed administrator on the estate of Zenas Lane of Turner, March, 1892.

II. BETSEY G.[7], b. 4 July, 1827, m. SAMUEL ROGERS, a merchant residing Attleborough, Woburn and Taunton, Mass. Their children:

1. *Delia*, b. 1849, m. 2. *Edwin F.*, b. 1851, m. 3. *Eva Clara*, b. 1853, m. 4. *Cora Elizabeth*, b. 1855, m. and lived at Mt. Sterling, Ill. 5 and 6. *Son* and *Daughter*, twins, b. 1857, d.

III. GILMAN G.[7], b. Oxford, Me., 26 Dec., 1829, at one time engaged in extensive building operations in Cambridge, Mass. In 1868, he moved to Woodsford Corner, Deering, Me., where he continued his business of building and was party to transfer of real

AMMI R. LANE.

estate, 1868–1870. He built many of the handsomest residences in that part of Portland, Me., and was twice selectman of the old town of Deering. He m. MARY GUPTILL, and d. Feb., 1900, æ. 70 years. Children:

1. *Bion R.*[8], of the firm of John W. Perkins & Co., Portland, Me. 2. *Mabel*[8].

IV. AMERICA[7], b. 22 Nov., 1831, m. ELIZA A. FULLER, and res. Union, N. H.

V. PHILENAH G.[7], b. 26 Dec., 1836, m. ALONZO PALMER, in employ of the Old Colony railroad; res. Quincy, Mass.,

VI. AMMI FRANKLIN[7], b. 2 Apr., 1843, sometimes known as "Frank A.," m. MARY KNIGHT; res. Topeka, Kan.

VII. FRANCES ANN[7], b. 1 July, 1845, m. ENOCH E. HALL, a trader; res. Quincy, Mass.

VIII. OSCAR G.[7], b. 11 Oct., 1855, m. NELLY TALBERT; res. Quincy and Dorchester, Mass.

84.

MARK LANE[6] (Mark[5], Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), 1804–1891, b. Gloucester, Mass., 28 June, 1804, lived when a boy with his grandmother Abigail, who had m. "Joseph Caffareen the schoolmaster," sea captain, res. Gloucester, Mass. He was a bright man and well remembered his "uncle Frank," Capt. Francis Lane, "who used to come from Maine to Gloucester in the fall of the year to get pollock to carry home." He m. 24 Dec., 1827, by Rev. Ezra Learned, CLEMENTINA YOUNG; she b. 20 Dec., 1805, dau. of William and Olive (Woodbury) Young.

"A smart Old Couple. Capt. Mark Lane 82 years of age and wife 81 years of age were lately seen walking through Proctor's House Paper Gallery."—*Cape Ann Advertiser, 1886.*

Capt. Lane d. 25 Apr., 1891, æ. 86 yrs., 9 ms., 27 ds. Mrs. Lane d. 5 Jan., 1896, æ. 91 yrs., 15 ds.

Children:

I. MARK, Jr.[7], b. Gloucester, 18 Nov., 1828, not m., d. 20 June, 1891.

II. CLEMENTINA[7], b. 13 Oct., 1830, m. 16 July, 1848, by Rev. Josiah K. Waite, RICHARD W. RICKER, a stone cutter and widower, æ. 27 years, son of Levi and Eliza Ricker of Sanford, Me. She d. 31 Jan., 1856.

III. OSCAR[7], b. 7 July, 1833, d. 18 Aug., 1833.

IV. ANDREW JACKSON[7], b. 15 Mar., 1835, d. 16 Mar., 1836.

V. FITZ[7], b. 3 Oct., 1837, d. 25 Feb., 1838.

VI. ORA ANNA[7], b. 25 June, 1839, m. 17 Jan., 1864, by Rev. W. C. High, WALTER H. SMALL; he mariner, b. 8 Sept., 1833, son of John and Susan (Thurston) Small of Deer Island, Me.

VII. VICTORIA[7], b. 20 Mar., 1842, d. 20 Jan., 1846.

VIII. WILLIAM HENRY[7], b. 17, bap. 22 Sept., 1845, d. 25 Oct., 1877, æ. 32 years. Buried at Oak Grove, Gloucester.

85.

GEORGE WASHINGTON LANE[6] (Mark[5], Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), 1812–1894, b. Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., 1812, fish merchant at Annisquam, representative for Gloucester in Massachusetts Legislature, 1833, subscriber to Hampton Lane monument, 1886; m. 15 Dec., 1835, TAMAZINE THURSTON; she b. Waltham, Mass., dau. of Nathaniel and Eliza (Gee) Thurston. She d. 4 Mar., 1892, æ. 75 yrs., 4 ms., 24 ds. He d. 7 Mar., 1894, æ. 81 yrs., 13 ds. They are buried at Locust Grove, Lanesville, Mass.

Children:

I. NANCY[7], b. about 1837, m. 25 Sept., 1858, by Rev. F. N. Peloubet, THADDEUS WHEELER; he mariner, b. Rockport, Mass., about 1826, son of David and Mary Wheeler.

II. GEORGE W., Jr.[7], b. about 1839, mariner, m. 13 Nov., 1870,

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by Calvin W. Poole, Justice of the Peace, HANNAH GEYER of Rockport, Mass.; she b. about 1846, in Bristol, Me., dau. of Charles and Jane Geyer of Maine. He d. Danvers, Mass., 11 Sept., 1894, æ. 55 yrs., 9 ms., 27 ds. Child:

1. *Charles*[8], b. 13 May, 1871.

III. TAMAZENA[7], b. about 1841, m. 9 Sept., 1861, by Rev. I. C. Thacher, ALBERT STORY; he b. Rockport, about 1838, son of John and Abigail Story.

IV. FREDERICK T.[7], b. about 1845, mariner, m. 27 Oct., 1878, by Rev. George E. Sanderson, CHRISTIE A. SUTHEREND; she b. Cape Breton, about 1852, dau. of David and Annie (Stewart) Sutherend.

V. DAUGHTER[7], b. 25 Nov., 1846.

VI. MARY ELLEN[7], b. 7 Apr., 1851, m. 29 July, 1879, by Rev. George E. Sanderson, GEORGE C. MCKENZIE; he b. Yalesville, Conn., son of William and Temperance (Hall) McKenzie.

86.

JOHN LANE[6] (David[5,4], John[3,2], James[1]), 1774–1824, b. Lanesville, Mass., bap. Annisquam, 21 Aug., 1774, a mariner of Gloucester, Mass. He ent. int. of m. 14 Nov., and m. 3 Dec., 1795, by Rev. Eli Forbes, ESTHER WHITE. He d. 27 Feb., 1824, æ. 49 years, leaving widow, Esther, and children.

Administration on his estate was granted to Samuel Lane, Esq., 18 Jan., 1825. Inventory returned, 3 Feb., 1825, included "one-third of the schooner Rainbow," and one-half of a pew in Annisquam meeting-house. Esther Lane, widow, received allowance from the estate, 15 Feb., 1825, for which she gave a receipt, 30 Aug., 1830. Account of administration was allowed 2 Nov., 1830.

Upon the settlement of the estate of their grandfather, Capt. David Lane, three sons were placed under the guardianship of their mother, 22 Apr., 1831, *viz.*, Henry W. Lane, age 20, Charles H. Lane, age 16, and Thomas L. Lane, age 14. Appraisers were appointed, 3 May, 1831; inventory taken 12 Dec., 1831, and returned 10 Apr., 1832. The estate of each of the three sons in-

cluded "one undivided eighth part of his deceased father's share of the real estate of David Lane deceased."—*Essex Co. Record.*

Esther, widow of John Lane, d. 27 June, 1853, æ. 78 years.

"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord."

—*Tombstone.*

Children:

I. ESTHER[7], m. 17 Nov., 1816, by Rev. Ezra Learned, JOSEPH BAILEY, Jr.

II. PELEG[7], m. 31 July, 1817, THOMAS T. LOW.

III. MARTHA[7], m. ANDREW H. LANGSFORD.

IV. ELIZA W.[7], m. 14 Nov., 1822, DAVID DONNAHUE.

V. JOHN[7], m. Miss MUNSEY of Gilford, N. H. A son who served in the Civil War was accidentally shot after the war in Gilford.

137. VI. HENRY WHITE[7], b. 1811, m. LOUISA SANDERS.

VII. CHARLES HODGKINS[7], undertaker, Lanesville, Mass., ent. int. of m. 2, and was pub. 8 Nov., 1840, with ELIZA GOULD; she b. Boxford, Mass., dau. of John and Polly (Prince) Gould. He d. 23 Jan., 1872, æ. 57 yrs., 4 ms., 17 ds. She d. his widow, 4 Nov., 1887, æ. 83 yrs., 4 ms., 25 ds. No children.

VIII. THOMAS LOW[7], b. 1817, unm.

87.

DAVID LANE[6] (David[5,4], John[3,2], James[1]), 1776–1833, b. Lanesville, Mass., 3 July, 1776, bap. 14 July, 1776, mariner, admitted to the church, 21 June, 1800; ent. int., 23 Dec., 1797, and m. 24 Jan., 1798, by Rev. Daniel Fuller, ABIGAIL LANE[5] (Solomon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]); she bap. 25 Mar., 1779, and d. 22 Feb., 1812, æ. 32 yrs., 10 ms., 10 ds.

"Free from this world of noise and strife,
She's present with the Lord;
The labour of a mortal life
Ends in a large reward."

—*Family Record.*

Mr. Lane m. second, 18 Jan., 1814, MARY COOK, m. n. Gott, dau. of James and Lucy. He d. 15 May, 1833, æ. 57 years.

Administration on his estate was granted to Samuel Lane, Esq., Aug. 4, 1835; Gideon Lane, Jr., was an appraiser; inventory presented, Aug. 31, 1835. Mary Lane, widow, "having four children with her," was granted allowance, Sept. 1, 1835. She d. 4 May, 1868, æ. 75 yrs., 5 ms., 4 ds.—*Essex Co. Wills.*

It used to be said of David, Epes and Joseph Lane: "Better man never lived, but never men had more vixenish wives."

Sixteen children:

I. ABIGAIL[7], b. 20 June, bap. 27 Oct., 1799, m. 17 Oct., 1816, by Rev. Ezra Learned, WILLIAM DADE, and d. 26 Aug., 1825.

II. DAVID[7], b. 20 July, 1801, d. 19 Aug., 1801.

III. ADELINE[7], b. 21 July, 1803, m. 3 Dec., 1825, by Rev. Ezra Learned, DAVID STORY, and had:

1. *Adeline.* 2. *Mary.* 3. *Ellen.* 4. *Son.*

IV. EVELINE[7], b. 14 June, 1805, d. 3 Oct., 1806.

V. DAUGHTER[7], b. 15 Oct., 1806, d. same day.

VI. SON[7], b. 15 Sept., 1809, d. 21 Sept., 1809.

VII. TWIN SONS[7], b. 3 Aug., 1810; one d. same day.

VIII. THE OTHER, d. 5 Apr., 1811.

By second marriage:

138. IX. DAVID[7], b. 10 Oct., 1814, m. MARY P. ALLEN.

X. CHILD[7], d. Aug., 1817, æ. about 8 months.

139. XI. JAMES MONROE[7], b. 22 June, 1819, m. ELIZABETH HARVEY and LUCRETIA R. HODGKINS.

XII. CHILD[7], b. 17 Aug., 1821, d. 24 Aug., 1821.

XIII. EVELINE[7], b. 17 Aug., 1822, m. ANDREW RIGGS, and had:

1. *Augusta.* 2. *Elizabeth.* 3. *Maria.* 4. *Mary.*

140. XIV. JOHN[7], b. 6 Dec., 1824, m. MARY ANN FIGGIES.

XV. ABIGAIL[7], b. 21 July, 1828, ent. int., 15 Mar., and m. 6 Apr., 1844, by Rev. Maxy B. Newell, DANIEL BROUGHTON HODGKINS of Annisquam, miller, and had:

1. *Daniel Greenleaf.* 2. *David.* 3. *Elizabeth Abby.* 4. *Rufus Choate.* 5. *Arianna.* 6. *Edward.* 7. *Howard Adams.* 8. *Anna Mary*, b. 4 Apr., 1861. 9. *Everett Nelson.*

XVI. GEORGE WASHINGTON[7], b. 1 July, 1835, m. ANNIE E. RIGGS, and d. 2 June, 1859, æ. 23 yrs., 11 ms. Daughter.

1. *Ann E.*[8], b. 29 Aug., d. 22 Sept., 1859, æ. 21 days.

88.

EPES LANE[6] (David[5.4], John[3.2], James[1]), 1778–1860, b. Lanesville, Mass., 10 Apr., bap. Annisquam, 19 Apr., 1778, and admitted to the Third church, 10 June, 1801. The firm of Epes and Samuel Lane, traders, Gloucester, Mass., had claims against the estate of Zacheus Lane, 1824, and against their father's estate, 1831.

Epes Lane ent. int. of m. 8 Feb., and m. 11 Mar., 1800, SUSANNA YOUNG, a sister of Daniel Young, who m. his sister, Hannah Lane. She was bap. and d. 5 Sept., 1811. He m. second, July, 1812, SALLY HUMPHREY WOODBURY; she was dau. of James and Fanny (Pierce) Woodbury, and d. 14 Nov., 1888, æ. 95 years. He d. of influenza only three days sick, 18 Feb., 1860, æ. 81 yrs., 10 ms.

Children:

I. MARY[7], b. 18 Mar., bap. 29 Aug., 1801, m. 3 Dec., 1825, MONTGOMERY ROBERTS, and had:

1. *Mace.* 2. *Epes.* 3. *Howard.* 4. *Gilbert.* 5. *Everett.* 6. *Another.*

141. II. DAVID[7], b. 17 Dec., 1802, m. HANNAH LANE.

142. III. EPES[7], b. 2 Oct., 1804, bap. 28 Apr., 1805, m. MARY ADALINE STORY.

IV. SUSAN ANN[7], b. 1 June, 1807, m. 7 Dec., 1823, and d. 8 Jan., 1847, æ. 39 yrs., 7 ms., 6 ds. Their son, *Warren Bassett*, was a Universalist minister at Annisquam, Mass.

143. V. JAMES SAWYER[7], b. 11 June, 1809, bap. 9 July, 1810, m. SARAH POOL.

By second marriage.

144. VI. WILLIAM[7], b. 18 Apr., 1813, m. MARGARET KNOWLTON.

VII. CHILD[7], stillborn, 19 Feb., 1816.

145. VIII. AUGUSTUS[7], b. 31 May, bap. 10 Nov., 1817, m. ABIGAIL DODD.

IX. SARAH ANN[7], b. 1 Aug., 1818, bap. 1 June, 1819, m. WARREN SARGENT, and had:

1. *Alphonso.* 2. *Warren.* 3. *Samuel, d. young.*

X. JULIA[7], b. 23 Sept., 1820, d. 7 Mar., 1821.

XI. ELIZABETH[7], b. 9 Sept., 1822, bap. 7 Dec., 1823, m. 16 Apr., 1839, HORATIO GATES MERCHANT[5] (Jabez[4.3], Daniel[2], Jabez[1]). He was b. 1817, and d. of consumption, 1854. She d. 17 Aug., 1858. Their children:

1. *Thomas*, b. 1841. 2. *Sarah Elizabeth*, b. 1842. 3. *John*, b. 1844. 4. *James Woodly*, b. 1846. 5. *Horace Mann*, b. 1848. 6. *Son.* 7. *David*, b. 1853.

XII. CHILD[7], b. 23 Mar., 1825, d. 26 Mar., 1825.

XIII. OTIS[7], b. 9 Jan., 1826, d. unm. 21 Mar., 1847, æ. 21 yrs., 2 ms., 10 ds.

"Rest thou in peace. Life's toil is o'er.
Its joys, its sorrows are no more."

—*Tombstone.*

XIV. WARREN[7], b. 9 May, 1829, mariner, one of the members of the Universalist parish of Lanesville at its organization about 1876. He m. 13 June, 1857, SUSAN F. CHEENEY, who d. 18 Feb., 1893, æ. 67 yrs., 9 ms., 27 ds., dau. of Isaac and Susan (Swallow) Cheeney of Dunstable, Mass. Their son:

1. *Arthur W.*[8], b. 1 Oct., 1859, mason, m. 13 Mar., 1883, by Rev. John Peterson, *Mary E. Jones*; she b. about 1862, dau. of Samuel and Lucy E. (Younger) Jones of Gloucester, Mass., and had:

1) Willie O.[9], b. 7 July, 1884.

XV. ALPHONSO[7], b. 6 July, 1833, while furling jib was washed off the bowsprit and drowned, near Cape Cod.

146. XVI. SYLVANUS COBB[7], b. 23 July, 1834, m. MARIE WOODBURY.

XVII. HORACE C.[7], a jeweller in Gloucester, sold his business to Everett H. Lane of Rockport, Mass.

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HON. SAMUEL LANE[6] (David[5,4], John[3,2], James[1]), 1794–1873, b. Lanesville, Gloucester, Mass., 27 Apr., 1894, a prominent citizen of Gloucester, Mass., and afterwards of Chelsea, Mass.

Samuel Lane, Esq., was attorney for Rebekah Lane in the settlement of the estate of Zacheus Lane in 1823, and the trade firm of Epes and Samuel Lane, Gloucester, brought claims against Zacheus Lane's estate in 1824, and against their father's estate in 1831. He administered on the estates of John Lane and of Gideon Lane, Jr., in 1825, and on his father Capt. David Lane's estate, 1826–1831. He was selectman of Gloucester, 1825, 1834, representative 1828 to 1832, and subsequently senator from Essex County. When in 1831, the pews were sold in the Annisquam church edifice, Samuel Lane bid off the second choice, and selected an undesirable corner pew on the left of the pulpit. He was executor of the will of Aaron Lane in 1833, and administrator of estate of David Lane, in 1835. When the Sunday school was organized at Annisquam in 1836, he was the first superintendent. He removed to Chelsea, Mass., in 1841, and was a number of years in the Boston Custom House.

Hon. Samuel Lane, m. first, 10 Sept., 1816, by Rev. Ezra Learned, SALLY WILCOME HARRIDEN, m. second, by Rev. Benjamin H. Clark, 7 May, 1848, MRS. MARTHA (Story) DENNISON; she b. about 1804, dau. of James and Sally Story. He d. at Chelsea, Mass., 29 Mar., 1873, in his 80th year. She d. at Newton, Mass., 7 Oct., 1897, æ. 93 yrs., 10 ms., 24 ds.

Children:

I. THERESA BURNHAM[7], b. 30 Mar., 1818, d. 30 July, 1820.

II. THERESA BURNHAM[7], b. 1 July, 1820, m. Mr. WILLIS of Chelsea, Mass.

III. RACHEL[7], b. 29 Mar., 1822, d. 23 Dec., 1824.

IV. SAMUEL ADAMS[7], b. 4 Aug., 1828, d. in minority, unm.

V. EDWARD HILL[7], b. 3 Oct., 1830, not m.

VI. SARAH AUGUSTA[7], b. 12 July, 1833, m. first, —— QUIMBY; m. second, WARREN POOLE of Wakefield, Mass.

90.

JOSEPH LANE, 3d.[6] (Caleb[5], Joseph[4.3], John[2], James[1]), 1787–1827, b. Annisquam, Mass., 1 May, 1787, m. 18 Dec., 1808, by Rev. Ezra Learned, LUCY ANN GOTT, dau. of James and Lucy Gott, and sister of David Lane's[6] second wife, (David[5.4], John[3.2], James[1]). He was buried 8 Jan., 1827, æ. about 38 years. She d. 17 Apr., 1864, æ. 74 yrs., 9 ms.

Children:

I. JOSEPH[7], b. 1813, fisherman, res. Dedham, Mass., m. 22 Apr., 1858, by Rev. S. E. Pierce, MARGARETT ALBRIGHT or ALBRIDE; she b. Weymouth, N. S., 1829, and d. 16 May, 1864, æ. 33 yrs., 8 ms., dau. of Henry and Rachel Albride. He d. 15 Aug., 1881, æ. 68 years. Buried at Mount Adnah, Annisquam. Children:

1. *Henry Wilson*[8], b. 1850, d. unm. 9 Jan., 1886, æ. 26 yrs., 7 ms., 16 ds.
2. *Eugenia*[8], b. 24 July, 1861, m. 6 May, 1886, by Rev. James W. Higgins, *Samuel A. Elwell*; he paving cutter, b. Gloucester, Mass., about 1854, son of Fitz and Caroline (Robinson) Elwell.
3. *Ernest J.*[8], b. 1864, m. *Margaret Conness*, and d. 8 May, 1896, æ. 32 yrs., 3 ms., 20 ds.

II. AARON[7], b. 1815, mariner, m. first, 25 Aug., 1845, by Rev. Joseph A. Bartlett, HARRIET G. NORWOOD, dau. of Charles Norwood of Gloucester, who d. 10 Apr., 1862, æ. 39 yrs., 2 ms., m. second, 29 Oct., 1864, by Rev. S. Chapin, Mrs. MARGARET A. C. THROP; she b. Boston, Mass., dau. of Ezekiel and Nancy Cushing. He d. at Bay View, Gloucester, 19 Aug., 1884, æ. 68 yrs., 3 ms. Mrs. Lane m. third, 29 Apr., 1886, her age 45, by Rev. J. J. Lewis, Albert Davis; he carpenter, b. Gloucester, age 52, his first m., son of George and Lydia (Phipps) Davis.

III. MARTHA WASHINGTON[7], at the age of 22 yrs., m. 7 Apr., 1849, by Rev. W. S. Clarke, JOHN RIGGS, Jr.; his age 28 yrs., son of John and Alice Riggs. Children:

1 *George*. 2. *Alice*.

91.

WILLIAM SAVILLE LANE[6] (Caleb[5], Joseph[4.3], John[2], James[1]), 1791–1837, b. Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., 5 Sept.,

bap. 6 Nov., 1791, m. 19 Nov., 1818, by Rev. Ezra Learned, SALLY TARR. He was lost at sea, Apr. 24, 1837.

Children born in Gloucester:

I. WILLIAM[7], b. 19 Aug., 1820.

II. GEORGE[7], b. 20 Aug., 1823.

III. SARAH[7], b. 12 Feb., 1827.

IV. FREDERICK T.[7], b. 30 Jan., 1830, mariner, m. 30 Jan., 1853, by William Poole, Esq., Justice of the Peace, JANE B. WEBSTER; she b. Rockport, Mass., about 1835, dau. of George and Sarah Webster. He d. 8 Sept., 1869, at Peek's Island, Me., æ. 38 yrs., 8 ms.

92.

THEODORE LANE[6] (Caleb[5], Joseph[4,3], John[2], James[1]), 1808–1885, b. Annisquam, Mass., 24 Jan., 1808, mariner, had wife, CLARISSA LOWE STEELE; she b. 21 Sept., 1816. They celebrated their golden wedding about 1880, at 3 School street, Gloucester. He d. 1 Sept., 1885, æ. 77 yrs., 7 ms., 7 ds., leaving her a widow. Monument at Oak Grove, Gloucester.

Children:

I. THEODORE, Jr.[7], b. 12 Mar., 1834, d. 26 Mar., 1836.

II. CLARISSA[7], b. 24 Apr., 1836, d. 25 June, 1836.

III. CLARISSA[7], b. 4 Oct., 1837.

IV. EDWIN LEWIS[7], b. 23 Aug., 1840, carpenter, chief engineer of Gloucester fire department, m. 27 July, 1864, by Rev. G. W. Skinner, MARY S. JAMES; she b. about 1843, dau. of George and Fanny James. Their son:

1. *Herman L.*[8], b. about 1865, clerk, m. 24 Dec. 1889, by Rev. W. H. Rider, *Addie I. Swain*; she b. about 1863, dau. of Isaac and Susan J. (Stewart) Swain of Nova Scotia.

V. LAVINIA[7], b. 13 Aug., 1843, d. 9 Oct., 1857, æ. 14 yrs., 1 mo., 23 ds.

VI. HERMAN[7], b. 27 Mar., 1847, drowned near Baker's Island, 5 May, 1864, æ. 17 yrs., 2 ms., 8 ds.

VII. ADELINE[7], b. 25 July, 1848, d. 28 Sept., 1848.

VIII. IZETTE[7], b. 1 Jan., 1854, d. 23 Aug., 1854, æ. 7 ms., 23 ds.

IX. CLARA M.[7], b. 29 Nov., 1856, d. 20 Oct., 1857, æ. 10 ms., 21 ds.

X. CYRUS EDWARD[7], b. 13 Nov., 1860.

93.

GIDEON LANE[6] (Gideon[5], Joseph[4,3], John[2], James[1]) 1798–1875, b. Annisquam, Mass., 10 Dec., 1798, bap. 3 July, 1799, m. 2 May, 1822, by Rev. E. Learned, ABIGAIL GOTT, and d. in Gloucester, 25 Dec., 1875, æ. 77 yrs., 15 ds. She d. 30 Nov., 1877, æ. 77 yrs., 8 ms., 4 ds. They were buried at Clark's Yard, Gloucester.

Children:

I. ABIGAIL[7], b. 28 Dec., 1822, m. 2 Nov., 1845, by Rev. Josiah K. Waite, WILLIAM C. DOUGLASS, son of Jonathan and Sarah Douglass of Gloucester.

II. ELIZABETH ANN[7], b. 28 Dec., 1822.

III. ELIZABETH ANN[7], b. 24 Sept., 1824, m. 27 Apr., 1846, by Rev. Josiah K. Waite, THOMAS, son of Jeremiah Coos. They had:

1. *Mary Ann*, b. 1 Mar., 1847.

IV. ELLEN FRANCES[7], b. 9 Dec., 1828.

V. EDWARD[7], b. 19 July, 1832, shipman, m. 10 Mar., 1857, by Rev. N. A. Soule, SUSAN D. SEAVEY, who d. 23 June, 1885, æ. 52 yrs., 4 ms., 20 ds., dau. of Moses P. and Leonora D. Seavey of Chelmsford, Mass. They had:

1. *Edward Francis*[8], b. 27 Oct., 1859, in trade, Gloucester.

VI. LUCY LOWE[7], b. 13 Aug., 1834, m. 17 Nov., 1853, by Rev. A. D. Mayo, EPES M. PARKHURST; he b. about 1828, son of Hugh and Mary Ann Parkhurst of Gloucester.

VII. AMELIA BEACH[7], b. 8 Sept., 1837, m. 24 Apr., 1859, by Rev. Nathan A. Soule, JOHN J. HADLEY; he b. about 1837, at Guysboro, N. S., son of George and Elizabeth Hadley.

94.

SAMUEL ROBINSON LANE[6] (Gideon[5], Joseph[4,3], John[2], James[1]), 1806–1881, b. Annisquam, Mass., 6 June, 1806, res. Gloucester, Mass., m. MARTHA WATSON; she b. Gloucester, 25 July, 1815, dau. of George and Martha (Friend) Watson. Mr. Lane d. 12 Sept., 1881, æ. 75 yrs., 3 ms. Mrs. Lane d. 18 June, 1882, æ. 66 yrs., 10 ms., 24 ds. Monument in Lot 436, Oak Grove cemetery, Gloucester. "Mrs. Lane leaves two adult sons, three married daughters and a wide circle of relatives and friends to treasure pleasant memories of her well spent life."

Children:

I. MARTHA ANN[7], b. 20 Nov., 1834, m. 30 Nov., 1858, by Rev. W. R. Mellen, WILLIAM S. WONSON; he trader of Gloucester, b. about 1828, son of Samuel and Eliza Wonson, his second marriage.

II. ELEANOR WATSON[7], b. 12 Dec., 1836, m. 4 June, 1856, by Rev. Robert P. Rogers, EDWARD L. ROWE; he b. about 1833, sail-maker, son of James and Parmelia Rowe of Gloucester. Children:

1. *Son*, d. æ. 2 yrs., 11 ms., 21 ds.
2. *Daughter*, d. æ. 2 yrs., 1 mo., 3 ds.
3. *Daughter*, d. æ. 10 ms., 27 ds.

III. AMANDA[7], b. 9 July, 1839, m. 13 Apr., 1876, by Rev. Richard Eddy, SOLOMON F. ROOT; he merchant of Hinsdale, Mass., age 49, second marriage; b. Middlefield, Mass., son of Solomon and Laura (Mack) Root.

IV. SAMUEL[7], b. 27 July, 1841, fish merchant, firm Samuel Lane & Brother, Gloucester, m. 26 Dec., 1875, by Rev. Richard Eddy, CAROLINE E. WITHAM; she b. Gloucester, 8 June, 1846, d. 20 May, 1896, æ. 49 yrs., 11 ms., 12 ds., dau. of Edward and Jane (White) Witham. Children:

1. *Samuel R.*[8], b. 24 Sept., 1876.
2. *Edward W.*[8], b. 24 Dec., 1879, d. 3 Aug., 1880, æ. 7 ms., 10 ds.

V. GEORGE E.[7], b. about 1844, merchant of Gloucester, m. 11 July, 1883, by Rev. Robert P. Rogers, LUCY THURSTON[7] (Nathaniel[6,5], Daniel[4], Joseph[3,2], Daniel[1]); she b. 11 July, 1848, d. 10 May, 1887, æ. 38 yrs., 10 ms.

95.

DAVID SAVILLE LANE[6] (Caleb[5,4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), bap. June, 1807, at Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., m. 18 Apr., 1830, by Rev. E. Learned, ELIZA ANN ELWELL.

Children:

I. HARRIET AUGUSTA[7], b. 9 Dec., 1831.

II. LEONARD WHALEN[7], b. 3 June, 1834.

III. MARY ANN[7], b. 25 Apr., 1837.

IV. DAVID[7], b. 14 Dec., 1841, d. 25 May, 1844, æ. 2 yrs., 5 ms., 11 ds.

V. DAVID[7], mariner, drowned at sea from on board schooner "General Butler," 15 May, 1868, æ. 24 years.

96.

LAZARUS LANE[6] (Caleb[5,4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), bap. Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., 13 Aug., 1809. He settled in Gloucester, and had wife, RUTH ——.

Children:

I. ELIZABETH A.[7], b. 1832, m. 25 Oct., 1850, by Rev. A. D. Mayo, ALFRED A. BURNHAM; he b. about 1825, son of Gorham and Sally Burnham of Gloucester, Mass.

II. GEORGE W.[7], b. about 1834, shipmaster and soldier, enlisted in Co. D, First N. H. Volunteer Cavalry, Feb. 21, 1865, credited to Guilford, N. H., mustered out, July 15, 1865. He m. 19 Nov., 1858, by Rev. Samuel A. Cushing, ANN ELIZABETH ANDREWS; she b. Guysboro, N. S., about 1837, dau. of Isaac Andrews. Their children:

1. *Anna E.*[8], b. 29 Aug., 1859.
2. *Anna*[8], b. 14 Sept., 1860, m. 28 May, 1879, by Rev. N. H. Martin, *Charles W. Middleton*; he confectioner, b. about 1862, son of Watson and Elizabeth (Allen) Middleton of Gloucester.
3. *Josephine*[8], b. 1 Nov., 1865.
4. *Hattie M.*[8], b. about 1868, m. 20 Mar., 1887, *Addison G. Stanwood*; he clerk, b. about 1869, son of David W. and Martha A. (Jewett) Stanwood.
5. *Jennie W.*[8], b. 22 Feb., 1870, m. 19 Oct., 1887, by Rev. W. H. Rider,

John E. Stanwood; he b. about 1864, son of John J. and Judith M. (Ober) Stanwood of Gloucester.

6. *Frederick G.*[8], d. 23 May, 1876, æ. 2 yrs., 6 ms., 25 ds.
7. *Nellie M.*[8], b. 8 Oct., 1876, m. 21 Nov., 1894, by Rev. George O. Crosby, *Benjamin F. Tucker;* he b. about 1873, son of John F. and Henrietta (Daggett) Tucker of Gloucester.
8. *Willis H.*[8], d. 14 May, 1881, æ. 2 yrs., 4 ms., 25 ds.

III. AUGUSTA[7], b. about 1837, m. 9 Dec., 1856, by Rev. Robert P. Rogers, FREDERICK CROSSMAN of Weymouth, N. S.

IV. JOSEPH M.[7], b. about 1841, seaman U. S. Navy, enlisted at Portsmouth, N. H., June 22, 1861, served on U. S. S. "Ohio" and "Circassian," discharged from receiving ship, N. Y. city, June 10, 1865. He m. 7 June, 1866, by Rev. Mr. Lacount, CLARA L. CHANDLER; she b. Portsmouth, N. H., about 1849, dau. of John and Mahala (Rae) Chandler. He was drowned at the Georges, Feb., 1879. She m. second, 30 Oct., 1882, Horace F., son of William and Martha (Hodgkins) Wilson. Lane children:

1. *Reuben*[8], b. 30 Nov., 1869.
2. *Abby W.*[8] } twins, b. 10 July, 1872.
3. *George B.*[8] }
4. *Abby*[8], d. 26 Aug., 1876, æ. 4 ms., 1 dy.

97.

CYRUS LANE[6] (Zacheus[5], Caleb[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1812–1889, was b. at Bay View, Gloucester, Mass., 8 June, 1812, mariner, m. SARAH ROWE, and d. 22 Nov., 1889, æ. 77 yrs., 5 ms., 14 ds. Buried at Bay View.

Children:

I. JAMES H.[7], b. 18 Aug., 1835, mariner, m. 24 Apr., 1864, by Rev. James M. Bacon of Essex, Mass., LUCY J. PARSONS; she b. Rockport, Mass., about 1840, dau. of Timothy and Lucy Parsons. He d. 2 Jan., 1889, æ. 53 yrs., 4 ms., 14 ds. Buried at Bay View.

II. SARAH FRANCES[7], d. 1 Apr., 1853, æ. 15 years.

III. CYRUS, Jr.[7], b. 11 Sept., 1839, m. 5 June, 1860, by Rev. S. E. Pierce, LUCY ROBERTS SARGENT; she b. about 1841, dau. of Andrew and Lucy Sargent. He d. Annisquam, 19 Nov., 1860, æ. 21 yrs., 2 ms., 8 ds. Son:

1. *Cyrus E.*[8], b. about 1861, stonecutter, m. 17 Feb., 1887, by Rev. Charles M. Hall, *Martha L. Thurston*, dau. of James and Martha P. (Hood) Thurston.

1) Daughter[9], b. 3 Sept., 1893.

IV. ABRAM O.[7], b. 28 July, 1843, mason, m. 30 Mar., 1867, by Rev. Lewis Holmes, EMILY DAGGETT of Gloucester; she b. about 1850, dau. of William and Judith Daggett. They lived at Annisquam, Gloucester, where he d. a widower, 15 July, 1882, æ. 39 yrs., 3 ms., 17 ds. Children:

1. *Alberta*[8], b. 7 July, 1868.
2. *Emma F.*[8], b. 5 Sept., 1870.

V. ELIZABETH A.[7], b. 25 Oct., 1845.

VI. GEORGE WILLIAM[7], b. 12 Mar., 1849, m. by Rev. A. M. Osgood, FANNY BOYNTON; she b. about 1854, dau. of Abraham and Hannah J. Boynton of Gloucester.

1. *Daughter*[8], b. 14 July, 1886.

VII. CHARLES J.[7], b. about 1854, stonecutter, m. 25 Aug., 1874, by Rev. William Hooper, ELLEN D. FORBES; she b. Liverpool, N. S., about 1855, dau. of James and Eliza (Dexter) Forbes. Their children:

1. *Charles W.*[8], b. 4 Mar., 1875.
2. *Cyrus C.*[8], b. 9 Dec., 1877.
3. *Cyrus C.*[8], b. 9 Feb., 1879, d. 5 Apr., 1880, æ. 1 yr., 3 ms., 26 ds.
4. *Cyrus*[8], b. 30 Nov., 1880.
5. *Charles*[8], b. 4 Dec., 1881.
6. *Harry F.*[8], b. 7 Nov., 1884, d. 24 Feb., 1885.

98.

NATHANIEL LANE[6] (Nathaniel[5], Solomon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), b. 1802, was a stone mason, lived at Pigeon Cove, Rockport, Mass., m. 20 Dec., 1830, ESTHER SARGENT, and d. of consumption, 14 Dec., 1846, æ. 44 years. She d. his widow, 3 June, 1886, æ. 76 yrs., 2 ms., 22 ds., dau. of Samuel and Esther Sargent of Gloucester, Mass.

Children:

I. NATHANIEL[7], b. 12 Nov., 1831, teamster, m. 31 Dec., 1865, by Rev. Thomas Morong, HANNAH WHEELER; she b. Gloucester,

Mass., about 1836, and d. 4 Jan., 1883, æ. 47 yrs., 1 mo., 28 ds., dau. of James and Hannah Wheeler. Children:

1. *Laura G.*[8], b. 11 June, 1870, m. 15 Feb., 1892, by Rev. Frederick Pember, *Ralph F. Dodge;* he fisherman, b. Beverly, Mass., about 1865, son of Charles F. and Helen (Moore) Dodge.
2. *Oscar S.*[8], b. about 1871, clerk, m. 18 Dec., 1896, by Rev. Oscar F. Safford, *Louise Bond*; she b. Rockport, about 1872, dau. of Frank and Clara (Bernard) Bond.

II. JOHN HORACE[7], b. 31 Aug., 1833, unm., d. 7 May, 1877, æ. 43 yrs., 11 ms., 7 ds.

III. LAURA A.[7], b. 26 Aug., 1835, m. 19 Sept., 1855, recorded 11 Feb., 1856, by Rev. N. Gunnison, SYLVESTER GRAY of Rockport; he b. New York about 1828, son of Samuel and Lydia Gray.

IV. ESTHER[7], b. 23 Mar., 1839.

V. SARGENT[7], b. 21 May, 1841.

VI. MARY[7], b. 30 Aug., 1843.

VII. SUSANNA[7], b. about 1844, m. 20 Jan., 1869, by Rev. Thomas Morong, OSCAR ANDREWS; he b. Gloucester, about 1844, son of Joseph and Hepsibah Andrews.

VIII. CHILD[7], b. 17 Oct., 1846, d. 26 Dec., 1846.

99.

WENTWORTH RIGGS LANE[6] (Nathaniel[5], Solomon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), was b. in New Gloucester, Me., 20 Nov., 1807. He learned the blacksmith's trade with Mr. Burns of New Gloucester, and in 1826 opened his shop near the village of Raymond, Me. He soon bought a farm which he carried on in connection with his blacksmithing business. He m. 21 Nov., 1833, LAVINA JORDAN, the widow of Elias Jordan; she b. Raymond, Me., 30 Sept., 1804, the eldest of ten children, and m. first, 14 Sept., 1826. Mr. Jordan d. 10 Feb., 1828, leaving son, Freeman Jordan, b. 6 Feb., 1827. Mr. Lane was town clerk for a quarter of a century and postmaster at East Raymond for thirty years, besides holding other offices. He d. 2 Feb., 1866, and Mrs. Lane d. 29 Oct., 1857.

Children:

I. CYRUS[7], b. 15 Sept., 1834, d. 25 July, 1888.

II. MARY JANE[7], b. 11 Nov., 1835, m. J. R. ADAMS.

III. HENRY J.[7], b. 23 May, 1837, enjoyed the advantages of a good public school education. When fourteen years old he became clerk in a store where he continued for ten years. He entered business with his brother, Orrin B., at Casco, Me., 1860, and at East Raymond, 1863. The firm created and has continued a good mercantile business. He held the offices of postmaster, town treasurer and selectman for nearly a third of a century, and was representative to the Maine Legislature in 1883. He is a member of Windham Lodge of A. F. and A. Masons. Mr. Lane m. in Casco, Me., 28 Mar., 1861, by Rev. E. S. Jordan, MARIA L. HAYDEN. Daughter:

1. *Clara B.*[8], b. 16 June, 1862, m. *C. K. Richards* of Falmouth, Me.

IV. ORRIN B.[7], b. 24 Aug., 1838, received a good practical common school education. He began to work in a store when twelve years of age, entered into partnership with his brother, Henry J., in 1860, and has continued in the business at East Raymond, Me. Town clerk, 35 years, representative to the Maine Legislature, 1871 and 1874. Member of Siloam Lodge of Independent Order of Odd Fellows at Gray, Me., and of the Sons of Temperance. He never married.—*Biographical Review, Cumb. Co., Maine.*

V. CHESTER D.[7], b. 18 Mar., 1840, m. REBECCA E. MANCHESTER, and resided at Cumberland Mills, Me.

VI. CLARA J.[7], b. 8 Apr., 1842, d. 25 Oct., 1857.

VII. HARRIET E.[7], b. 27 Mar., 1844, d. 21 Mar., 1850.

100.

LEWIS LANE[6] (Nathaniel[5], Solomon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1812–1869, b. New Gloucester, Me., March, 1812, housewright, m. SALLY T. POOLE, res. Rockport, Mass., where she d. 29 Dec., 1855, æ. 41 years. He was killed on the railroad at Lawrence, Mass., 3 Dec., 1869, æ. 57 yrs.. 9 ms.

Children:

I. LEWIS[7], b. 13 Apr., 1836, d. 18 Dec., 1843, æ. 7 yrs., 8 ms., 5 ds.

II. SALLY[7], b. 28 July, 1838.

III. ELIZABETH[7], b. 14 July, 1840, d. 13 June, 1842, æ. 2 years.

IV. ELIZABETH[7], b. 4 Sept., 1842.

V. EMMA[7], b. 24 Nov., 1844, unm., drowned 17 May, 1872, æ. 27 yrs., 5 ms.

VI. ADA[7], b. 26 Aug., 1846, d. 30 Apr., 1847, æ. 8 months.

VII. ADA[7], b. 29 Mar., 1848, d. 28 Sept., 1849, æ. 1 yr., 7 ms.

VIII. LEWIS POOL[7], b. 15 Feb., 1850, d. 20 Jan., 1851, æ. 11 ms., 5 ds.

IX. SON[7], b. 5 Jan., 1853, d. 20 July, 1853, æ. 5 months.

X. LEWIS E.[7], b. 1855, mariner, res. Gloucester, pub. 27 Jan., m. 28 Jan., 1877, by Rev. S. B. Andrews, EVA A. SMITH of Gloucester; she b. Rockport, 1862, adopted dau. of Elijah and Helen M. (Blaisdell) Smith. Their children:

1. *Luie*[8], b. 8 Aug., 1885.
2. *Guy Smith*[8], b. Rockport, 13 Jan., 1888.
3. *Carl Elijah*[8], b. 13 Feb., 1890.

101.

WILLIAM LANE[6] (William[5], Solomon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), b. Rockport, Mass., 12 Oct., 1812, carpenter at Rockport, had first wife, SALLY, who died 2 Sept., 1849, æ. 34 years, nearly. He m. second, by Rev. W. C. Clark, RHODA ELWELL; she b. Rockport, Mass., about 1817; dau. of David and Martha Elwell.

Children born in Rockport:

I. WILLIAM HENRY[7], b. 19 Oct., 1837, d. 29 May, 1839.

II. WILLIAM HENRY[7], b. 19 Oct., 1839, carpenter, m. 18 Mar., 1866, by Rev. C. H. Leonard, ESTHER ELWELL; she b. Rockport, about 1839, dau. of David and Esther Elwell. Their children:

1. *Eva Florence*[8], d. 8 May, 1871, æ. 3 yrs., 9 ms., 8 ds.

2. *Eva G.*[8], b. Salem, about 1873, m. 16 June, 1892, by Rev. Edward E. Small, *William L. Morrison*, carpenter, b. St. John, N. B., about 1868, son of John and Sarah Morrison.

III. JOHN ALBERT[7], b. 16 Jan., 1842.

IV. FREDERICK[7], b. 13 Feb., 1845.

V. EVA[7], b. 9 May, 1849, d. 26 Apr., 1850, æ. 1 year.

102.

ALBERT LANE[6] (William[5], Solomon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1816–1860, was b. Rockport, Mass., 26 Oct., 1816; carpenter and machinist of Rockport; m. first, 1839, RHODA W. BUTMAN; she b. Rockport, 22 May, 1817, and d. 10 Sept., 1846, æ. 30 yrs., 4 ms., 12 ds., dau. of John and Maria Butman. He m. second, 4 June, 1848, by Rev. W. Gale, MARTHA H. BUTMAN, sister of Rhoda W. Butman, b. about 1824, and d. his widow, 26 July, 1884, æ. 60 years. He d. 19 Dec., 1860, æ. 47 yrs., 1 mo., 23 ds.

Children:

I. M. ISADORE[7], b. about 1843, m. 1 Apr., 1866, by Rev. L. S. Watts, TIMOTHY AUGUSTUS JACOBS; he b. Wells, Me., about 1842, son of Timothy and Dolly R. Jacobs. He joined the First Congregational Church of Rockport, on profession of faith, July 7, 1861.

II. ALBERT W.[7], b. about 1844, commercial traveling salesman; m. by Rev. James W. Cooper, JENNIE C. PRESTON; she b. Rockport, about 1848, and d. 16 Mar., 1877; dau. of John and Mary A. Preston. He m. second, ELIZA WINSOR of Providence, R. I. Albert W. Lane joined the First Congregational Church of Rockport, on profession of faith, Mar. 7, 1869. His wife, Mrs. Jennie C. Lane, joined on profession, July 2, 1866. Children:

1. *Preston Waldo*[8], b. 15 Dec., 1876, d. 18 Feb., 1877, æ. 2 ms., 2 ds.

By second marriage:

2. *Son*[8], b. 24 Jan., 1883, d. same day.
3. *Child*[8], stillborn, 4 Dec., 1885.
4. *Amy Whitman*[8], b. 9 May, 1891.

III. ALBERTA H.[7], d. 19 Aug., 1874, æ. 20 yrs., 3 ms.

103.

CAPT. GIDEON LANE, 2d[6], (Gideon[5,4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1],) 1791–1865, b. Annisquam, Mass., 31 Aug., 1790, a successful ship builder and master, lived in Boston, Annisquam and Chelsea, Mass.

A party of ladies on board the sloop "Hebe" were very much alarmed when the wind arose in Annisquam River. Capt. Lane's mother was on board and tried to calm their fears by telling them that as long as Gideon was at the helm, there was no danger. This confidence in the seamanship of her son became a standing joke upon the lady for a long time.

Capt. Lane m. first, 30 Jan., 1817, DORCAS, dau. of William BABSON, who was b. 14 Aug., 1793, and d. 16 Oct., 1817.

"Blest be thy rest, fair dweller of the sky,
Belov'd thou liv'd, lamented thou didst die;
Thy heart was goodness and thy soul was truth,
Now blooms in heaven with an immortal youth;
Soon we shall meet thee on that blissful shore,
Of peace and joy, to part again no more."
—*Old Parish Burying Ground, Annisquam.*

He m. second, 1821, ELIZA HARPER PEABODY of Bucksport, Me., dau. of Asa and Elizabeth Harper Peabody.

Capt. Lane was allowed a claim against his father's estate, Jan. 17, 1826, and the same year came from Boston to Gloucester Harbor, in the fishing schooner "Patriot," and to Annisquam in a wagon. He settled permanently at Annisquam, in 1827, and the "Patriot" landed his furniture at the wharf below his house. The post office was first located at the head of Lobster cove, near the church on the corner, where Mrs. Maria Lane had her flower garden in 1889. Annisquam was then the most flourishing part of Gloucester. Vessels of good reputation were then built at 'Squam. Capt. Lane caught the building mania, and in 1828 he launched a schooner of 90 tons, called the "St. Thomas," of which Capt. David Lane took charge. In 1831, he launched the ship "Gloucester," of 348 tons, of which Capt. Oliver Griffin Lane took the command. This vessel was wrecked near Sydney, Cape Breton, about 1843. About 1831-33, there was a large fleet of vessels fitting out and mostly owned here. Capt. Lane reported that at one time there were in the harbor 65 fishing vessels of different kinds, 6 coasters and 2 or 3 vessels that went trading "Down East." The mill dam across Goose creek was built in 1834. Capt. Lane and William Hodgkins were owners in the saw and grain mill erected there. The property is owned by grandsons of Mr. Hodgkins, in

1898. The chief cause of the decline in the shipping interests of Annisquam was the money panic of 1837, when President Jackson vetoed the re-chartering of the U. S. Banks.—*George Edward Lane.*

Capt. Lane was selectman of Gloucester, 1830, '31, '32, '52, '53, and representative, 1833 and 1834. He d. at Chelsea, Mass., 13 Aug., 1865, æ. 73 yrs., 11 ms. His widow d. 15 May, 1875, æ. 72 yrs., 10 ms., 25 ds. They were buried at Annisquam.

Children:

I. INFANT SON[7], b. and d. 15 Oct., 1817.

147. II. GEORGE EDWARD[7], b. 19 Feb., 1822, m. MARY ANN EVERETT and SOPHRONIA E. LANE.

III. DORCAS BABSON[7], b. Feb., 1824, d. 13 Dec., 1824, æ. 10 months.

IV. GIDEON OSCAR[7], b. 16 Nov., 1826, d. Chelsea, Mass., unm., 6 July, 1869, æ. 42 yrs., 7 ms., 20 ds. Buried at Annisquam.

Capt. Gideon Oscar Lane's first voyage as master was in the barque "Arctic." From 1859 to 1862, he sailed in the ship "Martha." From 1862 to 1864, he commanded the ship "Templar," of Boston. In 1865, he became master of the barque "Behring," in which he made his last voyage.

Capt. Lane was an honorable representative of American shipmasters, intelligent, prompt, enterprising and faithful to his trust, having the entire confidence of his "owners," and winning the esteem of all with whom he dealt. He was an example of that high-mindedness, patience and moral heroism which always secures the safest results in business and the favor of all true men. More than all, he exemplified the truth that, amid the severer duties of life and the stern tasks of the sea, the gentler virtues that win the home and cheer social existence, need not be clouded, but may grow brighter by the wear of time and the hazards of an exposed life. Capt. Lane made the entire circuit of the globe twenty-five times, crossed the equator sixty times, and in all his voyages sailed 630,000 statute miles.

V. DORCAS BABSON[7], b. Aug., 1828, d. 13 Oct., 1828, æ. 2 ms.

VI. BERTHA ADA[7], b. 13 Sept., 1829, m. J. S. BROWN, and d. 1891. Children:

1. *Oscar.* 2. *Dora.*

VII. ERNEST[7], b. 2 Oct., 1831, master-mariner, d. Chelsea, Mass., 23 Feb., 1886, æ. 54 yrs., 4 mos.

Capt. Lane's death was "attributed to blood poisoning created by the gases arising from a cargo of nitrate of soda. This gas has

been pronounced to be of a very poisonous nature and one for which no antidote is known. Some means should be found to prevent the danger arising from this service."

VIII. MEDORA[7], b. 17 Nov., 1833.

IX. DORCAS B.[7], b. 10 Jan., 1836.

X. ELIZABETH[7], b. 16 Feb., 1838, m. CHARLES A. NOYES of Gloucester; he b. 1832, d. 1891.

XI. EDITH HARPER[7], b. Nov., 1839.

XII. WILLIAM HARPER[7], b. 1 Nov., 1842, mariner; d. Sidney, Australia, 25 July, 1863, æ. 21 yrs., 9 ms.—*Tombstone*, Mount Adnah, Annisquam.

XIII. ARTHUR[7], b. 9 Feb., 1844.

104.

OLIVER GRIFFIN LANE[6], (Gideon[5.4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1798–1867, b. 25 Nov., 1798, named after his grandfather, Oliver Griffin; a sea captain of Annisquam, Mass. He entered upon ship building with his brother, Capt. Gideon Lane, and William Hodgkins, by whom many vessels were fitted out for mackerel fishing at Goose and Lobster coves, but soon followed an active sea-faring life. In 1831, he took command of the ship "Gloucester," 348 tons burden, and sailed to New Orleans, where he took on board a cargo of cotton for Havre, France. This vessel was wrecked near Sidney, Cape Breton, about 1843.

The church in Annisquam was reorganized in the Universalist faith in 1811, and the meeting house was rebuilt in 1813. The pews were prized and persons bid for a choice. Oliver G. Lane paid $100 for first choice, and selected an undesirable corner pew on the right of the pulpit. Samuel Lane bid for second choice, and selected the pew in the opposite corner. Gideon Lane bid for third choice and still selected an undesirable pew.

Capt. Oliver G. Lane m. 10 Dec., 1822, CHARLOTTE PHIPPEN[7] of Salem, Mass., and d. 17 Jan., 1867, æ. 68 yrs., 11 ms., 23 ds. Monument at Oak Grove cemetery. Mrs. Lane, b. Beverly, Mass., 13 Aug., 1800, d. 21 Sept., 1886, æ. 86 yrs., 1 mo., 8 ds.

She was descended from Nathaniel[6], who m. 4 Sept., 1786, Anna, dau. of Benjamin and Annie (Pickett); Joseph[5], m. 3 Oct., 1764, Hannah, dau. of Samuel and Hannah (Bartlett) Sibley; Nathaniel[4], m. 14 Oct., 1734, Seeth Hardy; Nathaniel[3], m. 29 June, 1716, Margaret Palfrey; Samuel[2], m. 1st 12 mo., 1676, Rachel Guppy; Joseph[1], m. Dorcas —— of Falmouth, Me.

Mrs. Charlotte (Phippen) Lane belonged to one of the staid families peculiar to ancient Salem. She accompanied her husband on several voyages, sailing to Europe, South America, and around Cape Horn to California. She was closely identified with the Universalist church at Annisquam, and when the Sunday School was organized she was among its earliest teachers. She possessed a very remarkable memory, which she retained to the last, and would give facts and recall dates when others were in doubt. "A kind friend and neighbor, of generous heart and worthy motives."

Children:

I. OLIVER GRIFFIN, Jr.[7], b. Salem, Mass., 31 Oct., 1823, mariner, m. 7 May, 1848, by Rev. A. D. Mayo, NANCY, dau. of William and Clara PEARCE of Gloucester, who d. in New York, 7 Mar., 1852, æ. 28 yrs. He d. at Annisquam, 25 June, 1872, æ. 48 yrs., 8 ms. Buried at Oak Grove cemetery. Their children:

1. *Helen*[8], b. 14 Aug., 1840, lived with her aunt, Charlotte A. Lane.
2. *Son*[8], b. and d. at sea, Mar., 1852.

II. CHARLES AUGUSTUS[7], b. 8 Feb., 1827, mariner, mate of bark "C. L. Taylor," d. in Rio Janeiro, Brazil, S. A., 30 June, 1869, æ. 43 years. He m. 29 Mar., 1856, by Rev. N. Gunnison, SOPHRONIA E. PULCIFER; she b. 1831, dau. of Thomas L. and Sophronia E. (Fellows) Pulcifer. She m. second, 28 Dec., 1875, a cousin of her first husband, George Edward Lane[7], (Gideon[6.5.4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]). Son of Charles Augustus and Sophronia E. Lane:

1. *William F.*[8], b. 29 Sept., 1858, m. 14 May, 1884, *Lilletta Blake* of Lowell, Mass., and had:

1) Charles Augustus[9], b. 11 May, 1885, d. 30 Nov., 1889. 2) Oliver Fellows[9], b. 10 Sept., 1893. 3) Gertrude Day[9], b. 13 June, 1894.

148. III. FREDERICK FOOME[7], b. 25 Sept., 1829, had wife NELLIE ——.

IV. CLIFFORD[7], b. 10 Jan., 1832, d. 26 Mar., 1832, æ. 2 months.

V. CHARLOTTE AUGUSTA[7], b. 20 Feb., 1833, attended the academy at Lunenburg, Mass., and remembers the Misses Lane resid-

ing there. She has done much to recover the genealogy of the Lane family.

ANNISQUAM.

Birthday Surprise Party.—Tuesday evening, Feb. 20, 1883, being the fiftieth anniversary of the birthday of Miss C. A. Lane, some of her friends arranged a surprise party, and about one hundred guests, including young and old, assembled at her home to do honor to the occasion. About 8 o'clock quite a delegation arrived from the city proper, helping to fill the spacious rooms, and many and earnest were the greetings given Miss Lane from friends and relatives who know and appreciate her many excellent traits of character. Beautiful flowers lent an added charm to the scene, and some admirable songs from Mr. H. H. Bennett were warmly applauded. Some of the elder ones joined in dancing the Virginia Reel, while Miss Helen Lane played the piano, and Miss Lane led off the figure; those looking on said it was performed *well.* Refreshments were served at 10 o'clock, after which an original poem written for the occasion by Mr. Geo. F. Griffin, was read, as follows:—

Fifty long years have passed away,
  And life's meridian sun
Shines brightly on thy path to-day,
  While still thou seemest young.

Thy natal month in robes of white
  Is emblematic of thy life;
'Neath snowy mantle hid from sight
  Lie germs with richest beauty rife.

And in thy heart are garnered treasures
  Which twine around thy dear old home,
Blessing the loved ones there with pleasures,
  Forgetting not dear ones who roam.

Like the green ivy softly twining
  Through ruins desolate and gray,
Thou would'st o'er all who are repining
  Spread the fair garb of charity.

In the blue azure skies above
  Bright stars of Hope and Faith e'er shine,
And in the generous heart true love
  Cannot grow old, but lives through time.

The sun and shade of fifty years,
  Have fallen on thy peaceful brow,
With times of sunshine, smiles and tears—
  We would not trace them now.

For dear friends gathered, in the light
  Of this your festal day,
Would banish every care from sight
  And make the winter seem like May.

We may not shield thine onward path
  From storms about thee driven;
But for the darkest days life hath,
  We pray that strength be given.

What'er the future years contain,
  Wherever we may be,
We ever dear shall hold thy name,
  And e'er remember thee.

And may the memories of this day,
  Cluster around thine heart;
And pleasant recollections stay
  With us, and ne'er depart.

The company dispersed at 12 o'clock, all agreeing it had been a very pleasant occasion. Mrs. J. A. Cunningham, a sister of Miss Lane, was present and in her kindly manner did much to make every one happy.—*Cape Ann Advertiser.*

William F. Lane, Mrs. A. Maria Lane and Miss Charlotte A. Lane were appointed, Aug. 1, 1891, on a committee of repairs on the old meeting house in Annisquam. The communion table was given by Mrs. A. Maria Lane, the collection pouches, by Mrs. William F. Lane, the pulpit lamps by Miss Julia Lane and committee on fair. The re-dedication took place June 9, 1892. Miss Bertha A. Lane was alto singer. Miss Charlotte A. Lane wrote the Historical Sketch of the Parish, which was read by William F. Lane. The original church covenant had been signed 164 years previous [1728], by 11 members, all males, among whom were Samuel Lane, John Lane and James Lane. Samuel Lane, Esq., was the first superintendent of the Sunday School. The Historical Sketch closed with the following original poem :—

POEM.

"O, church of our fathers, God bless you to-night,
Thou symbol divine of truth and the right;
May each father's son, in succession's long line,
Keep guard o'er thy presence till the exit of time.

O, church of our mothers, may your spirit increase,
Till all of their children shall find release
From sin and from sorrows that checquer life's way,
Growing purer and fairer unto life's perfect day.

O, God of all churches, in Thy infinite care,
O, keep and protect us, and each soul prepare
For the higher life which the angels have known,
And to meet all the loved ones in thy kingdom, 'called home.' "

VI. ANN ELIZA[7], b. 6 Sept., 1835, m. 12 June, 1856, by Rev. Nathaniel Gunnison, JAMES A. CUNNINGHAM, son of Nathaniel F. and Martha (Putnam) Cunningham of Lunenburg, Mass. He was b. Boston, Mass., 27 Nov., 1830, studied in the public schools of the city and at Framingham academy. At marriage he settled on his father's estate in Lunenburg, but soon after removed to Annisquam and ran the stage line from Annisquam to Gloucester. In the Civil War he recruited Co. D, 32d Regiment of Massachusetts Volunteers, of which he was commissioned first lieutenant. He was promoted to captain in the spring of 1862, major, June 29, 1864; brevet lieutenant-colonel, Sept. 30, 1864; brevet colonel, April 1, 1865; brevet brigadier general, Dec., 1866; adjutant general till Jan. 14, 1879. He represented Gloucester in the Massachusetts legislature, 1865; was a member of several Masonic lodges and superintendent of the soldiers' home at Chelsea, Mass., Apr., 1882, until his death. Gen. Cunningham died 17 July, 1892, æ. 62 years. He said, "I am not going out into darkness, but where the morning light is breaking." Children:

1. *Charles Edward*, b. 1857, m. *Marilla Grafton;* was postmaster at Annisquam, and had:

1) Jane Hutchins, b. 1891, d. 1892. 2) Nathaniel Carlton, b. and d. 1894.

2. *Frederick Lane*, b. 1858, m. 2 Nov., 1886, *Mary Elizabeth Mellen*, and had:

1) James Mellen, b. 18 Jan., 1888.

3. *Anne Grafton*, b. 29 Aug., 1870, m. 29 Apr., 1895, *Charles Burr Moore*, and had:

1) Charlotte Lane, b. 10 Aug., 1896.

VII. FRANCIS GAMALIEL[7], b. 9 Feb., 1840, d. 12 Mar., 1846, æ. 6 years.

105.

GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS LANE[6], (Gideon[5,4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1811–1878, b. Annisquam, Mass., trader; m. first, CLARISSA M. PEABODY, a sister of his brother Gideon's second wife, dau. of Asa and Elizabeth (Harper) Peabody of Bucksport, Me., who was b. 1809, and d. 2 Jan., 1869, æ. 59 yrs., 7 ms., 8 ds. He m. second, 21 Jan., 1874, by Rev. William Hooper, ANNA M. McQUESTON; she b. Goffstown, N. H., 1833, dau. of Edward and Harriet (Colby) McQueston. Mr. Lane d. 1878. Monument in Mount Adnah cemetery, Annisquam.

Children:

I. GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS[7], b. 29 May, 1835, master mariner, contractor and merchant at Rockport, Mass.; ent. int. of m. 17 Jan., 1860, and m. 19 Jan., 1860, by Rev. J. H. Farnsworth, VIRGINIA J. EDMUNDS; she b. Rockport, about 1837, dau. of Elijah and Jane W. Edmunds, and d. 10 Apr., 1869, æ. 31 yrs., 11 ms., 14 ds. He m. second, 15 Dec., 1874, by Rev. Richard Eddy, ISABELLE BABSON; she b. Gloucester, about 1848, dau. of Edward and Amanda (Stanwood) Babson of Gloucester. He d. a retired mariner, at Annisquam, 9 Nov., 1894, æ. 59 yrs., 5 ms., 11 ds.

OBITUARY.

"Capt. Gustavus A. Lane died at his home on Granite Street, yesterday, [Nov. 8, 1894], after a long and trying illness. He belonged to an old Gloucester family, being a son of Capt. Gustavus and Clarissa Lane of Annisquam, where he was born and spent his early life. Coming from a family of sea captains, he entered upon a sea-faring career, and soon rose to the rank of captain, making many foreign voyages, being for a while, however, in an interval of his experience at sea, employed in the granite business at Pigeon Cove. He was a man of fine character and attractive qualities, and had the public sympathy in the serious illness which compelled his retirement from active service in the prime of life."—*Gloucester Daily Transcript, Nov. 9, 1894.*

Children:

1. *George E.*[8], d. 11 June, 1863, æ. 2 ms., 18 ds.

By second marriage:

2. *Child*[8], stillborn, 23 Dec., 1876.

II. MARCUS MORTON[7], b. 31 May, 1837, m. 23 May, 1870, at Hyde Park, Mass., by Rev. I. C. Thacher, RACHEL H. STEELE,

dau. of James and Sarah (Day) Steele. Mr. Lane learned the carpenter's trade and worked at it several years. In 1863 he made a voyage as ship carpenter in the ship "Templar," Capt. G. Oscar Lane, from New York to Sidney, New South Wales, and from thence to Calcutta and back to New York. At marriage he took up his residence at Hyde Park, where he built a house and established, in Boston, a flourishing tool-sharpening business. In 1890, he returned to Gloucester, purchased a house on Centennial avenue, and established his business. He died very suddenly of apoplexy while walking on Webster street, near the square, Tuesday evening, 4 Apr., 1893, æ. 55 yrs., 10 ms.

"He was a man of excellent principles, industrious habits, thoroughly conscientious in all his dealings, an upright citizen in all that pertains to good citizenship. He did his duty from day to day, and was a devoted husband, a kind and affectionate brother, and one who, it may be said, has passed on to the higher life sincerely mourned by those who knew his sterling worth and loved him for his many virtues." Mrs. Lane outlived her husband and d. 17 Jan., 1897, æ. 59 yrs., 6 ms., 13 ds.

III. RALPH IRVING[7], b. 4 Oct., 1839, master mariner, U. S. Navy, residence, Lexington, Mass. He m. 1 June, 1865, ELLEN BAYLEY SAVILLE; she b. 18 Nov., 1843, dau. of Ira and Mary (Bates) Saville. Capt. Lane d. 12 May, 1869, of yellow fever, in command of schooner "W. D. Beckford," at Port au Prince, W. I., for a cargo of logwood. Monument at Mount Adnah, Annisquam. Mrs. Lane was a school teacher at Lexington for many years. Only child:

1. *Ralph Edgar*[8], b. 6 Mar., 1867, res. Lexington; business, Walworth Manufacturing Co., Boston; has the names of ships in which his fathers have sailed. He m. 22 Jan., 1897, *Vera Perrin*, dau. of Rev. Dr. Perrin of Shawmut avenue, Boston.

IV. HOWARD B.[7], d. 18 July, 1842, æ. 4 months.

"I am a little angel now;
A diadem is on my brow."

V. CLARISSA M.[7], b. 1844, unm., d. 23 Sept., 1896, æ. 51 yrs., 9 ms., 23 ds.

106.

WILLIAM LANE[6], (John Babson[5], Gideon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1],) 1802–1863, was b. in Freeport, Me., 14 Apr., 1802, m. 5 Sept., 1824, SOPHIA WIGGINS of Portland, Me.; she b. Parsonfield, Me., 22 Nov., 1801, dau. of Nathaniel and Jennie (Nealy) Wiggins. Mr. Lane lived in Portland, where he d. 27 Apr., 1863. Mrs. Lane resided in 1872, at corner of Wilmot and Oxford streets, Portland.

Children born in Portland:

I. WILLIAM HENRY[7], b. 8 June, 1825. He lived in Portland and Dunkirk, N. Y., where he was connected with the Erie railroad. He m. 7 Dec., 1848, JULIA COX; she b. East Boston, Mass., 4 Sept., 1827, dau. of Warren and Sally (Speed) Cox of Boston. Their children:

1. *Edwin Cox*[8], b. Portland, 27 Sept., 1850, d. Dunkirk, 27 July, 1854.
2. *Annie Ella*[8], b. 27 July, 1852, d. 20 May, 1859.
3. *Willie W.*[8], b. Dunkirk, 17 Dec., 1853.
4. *Horace*[8], b. 14 Aug., 1855.
5. *Warren C.*[8], b. 25 Nov., 1857.
6. *Kit Carson*[8], b. 29 —— 1859.
7. *Leander*[8], b. 14 Nov., 1861, d. 19 July, 1865, at Meadville, Pa.

II. ANN MARIA[7], b. 18 —— 1827, m. New York, 8 Sept., 1855, Capt. MOSES HAVEN SAWYER; he b. Mystic, Conn., 6 June, 1827, son of Capt. Jeremiah and Emeline (Kelley) Sawyer.

III. MARY JANE[7], b. 16 July, 1830.

IV. CHARLES BABSON[7], b. 16 Oct., 1832, master-builder, m. 24 May, 1855, LYDIA WATERHOUSE; she b. Portland, 1832. He d. Portland, 9 Jan., 1870. Children born in Portland:

1. *Alice Ella*[8], b. 15 Jan., 1856.
2. *Frank*[8], b. Jan., 1858.
3. *Annie Sawyer*[8], b. 1860.
4. *Florence May*[8], b. 1862.
5. *Cora Bell*[8], b. 1864.
6. *Willie*[8], b. 1866, d. 1866.
7. *Charles*[8], b. 1870, d. 1870.

V. SOPHIA ESTELLE[7], b. 21 Sept., 1837, m. 3 Sept., 1856, WALTER FEARING GOOLD, a grocer in Portland, b. Eastport, Me., 16 July, 1830, son of Franklin and Mary (Daverson) Goold of Campello, N. B.

VI. CAROLINE AUGUSTA[7], b. 22 Mar., 1839, d. Portland, 1874, m. Boston, 8 Oct., 1858, CHARLES IRVING TROWBRIDGE; he b. Portland, 21 Apr., 1837, son of Elisha Trowbridge.

VII. CLAUDIUS MORTIMER[7], b 12 —— 1842, a fancy and fresco painter, m. Dec., 1869, EMMA E. LOWELL, and res. Portland. Child:

1. *Carrie Augusta*[8], b. 9 June, 1871.

VIII. SARAH JENNIE[7], b. 2 Feb., 1846, res. 1872, at 78 Oxford street, Portland.

107.

THOMAS BICKNELL LANE[6] (Peter[5], Gideon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1800–1884, was b. Freeport, Me., 9 Mar., 1800. His cattle mark, June 18, 1823, was a half crop, the under side of the right ear, and two half pennies the under side the left ear. He was taxed in Freeport, for real and personal estate, May 1, 1825, 1827. He leased during his life of Martha Lane, Mary Townsend and Experience Lane, Apr. 7, 1826, their right to 12 1-2 acres of land in Freeport, formerly belonging to the estate of Peter Lane.—*Deeds 125: 167 and 171: 157.*

He conveyed to John A. Lane of Freeport, for $1.00 and "love and affection," Nov. 20, 1865, "the southwest half of the land whereon I now live, the whole containing 45 acres, also all my buildings standing on the same, excepting the use of said land and buildings so long as I may live, then to go to the said John A. Lane."—*Cumb. Deeds, 339: 117.*

Thomas B. Lane and Annie Dunham divided fence by mutual agreement, May 24, 1880.

Thomas B. Lane was deacon of the Freewill Baptist church, m. 21 Nov., 1822, LEAH LOW CURTIS; she b. 24 May, 1799, and d. 10 Sept., 1865, æ. 66 yrs., 3 ms., 16 ds. He d. 15 Oct., 1884, æ. 84 yrs., 7 ms., 6 ds.

Children:

149. I. THOMAS RANDALL[7], b. 10 Oct., 1823, m. MARY LOW CURTIS.

II. SALLY C.[7], b. 18 Jan., 1827, entered intention of marriage with WORTHY COLUMBUS BARROWS of Portland, Me., 2 Nov., 1861, certificate given, 11 Nov., 1861. They lived in Portland, where she d. 10 Sept., 1897, æ. 70 yrs., 7 ms., 23 ds. Children:

1. *George Lincoln*, b. 1863.
2. *Ada Lowe.*
3. *William Thomas*, b. Aug., 1879.

III. MARTHA J.[7], b. 2 Aug., 1832, m. first, 15 July, 1860, GEORGE WASHINGTON TOBY of Freeport; he b. 12 Feb., 1840, d. 15 Oct., 1862. No children. She m. second, 22 Oct., 1874, by Rev. Asa F. Hutchenson, at New Gloucester, Me., Rev. JOSEPH HUTCHENSON, a Freewill Baptist minister of Gorham, Me.; he b. 5 Apr., 1811, and d. 25 Jan., 1889, æ. 77 yrs., 9 ms., 20 ds.

IV. PETER[7], b. 7 Aug., 1835, at the Elms; was soldier in the 12th Maine regiment, 38 months of the Civil War, mechanic and trader, lived in Lewiston, Me., 12 years, was taxed in Freeport for real and personal estate, 1887, moved to the Moses Soule place on Pleasant Hill, East Freeport, in 1896; entered intention of marriage with Miss Emily Teague of Lewiston, 8 Sept., 1871, m. OLIVE K. ROLLINS, 1873, who d. Aug., 1883. One child.

1. *Percy R.*[8], b. 1875.

V. ARIANNA[7], b. 19 Oct., 1837, m. JAMES MILLER, and d. 5 Oct., 1863, æ. 25 yrs., 11 ms., 16 ds.

VI. JOHN AMBROSE[7], b. 15 May, 1840, soldier in the 25th Maine Regiment of the Civil War, lived in Chelsea, Mass., in business for Eastern Dredging Co., Boston; was taxed in Freeport for real and personal estate, 1875, 1887; m. JANE D. WEST. Their children:

1. *Clarence Edgar*[8], b. 24 June, 1870, clerk with J. A. Brewster, paints and oils, stoves and hardware, Freeport; m. first, 10 June, 1896, *Susie Mae Allen*, who d. 10 June, 1897. Their son:

1) Donald Curtis[9], b. 14 May, 1897, d. in infancy.

2. *Grace Isabel*[8], b. 25 Nov., 1876.
3. *John Russell*[8], b. 14 Feb., 1881.

108.

BENJAMIN LANE[6] (Benjamin[5.4.3], John[2], James[1]), 1777–1846, was born in Gloucester, Mass., 14 Jan., 1777, lived with his

parents in Poland, Me., and settled in Minot, Cumberland Co., Me., where he moved onto the 100 acre lot, No. 84, for which he paid Josiah Little of Newbury, Mass., $525.00, May 16, 1815.—*Deeds 71 : 425 and 103 : 211.*

He appears in other transfers of real estate, Sept. 14, 1815, April 28, 1816, April 19, 1826, Feb. 21, 1828, Aug. 4, 1834, May 11, 1838, May 9, 1845.—*Cumb. Co. Deeds.*

He m. 9 Aug., 1798, HANNAH DOWNING, whose name appears with his in all sales of real estate; she b. 20 Aug., 1780, d. 18 Apr., 1867, æ. 87 years. He died at Auburn, Me., of a cancer, 4 Oct. 1846, æ. 69 years.

The deposition of Hannah Lane of Auburn, widow of Benjamin Lane, referring to land and store of her late husband in Minot was called for Aug. 11, 1847.—*Deeds 202 : 290–292.*

Children :

150. I. PALFREY[7], b. 30 Nov., 1798, m. ANN G. SAMPSON.

151. II. JACOB[7], b. 3 Apr., 1800, m. ALICE MERROW.

III. PHEBE[7], b. 21 Jan., 1802, m. 3 June, 1821, SAMUEL DOWNING, and d. 17 June, 1873, æ. 71 years. Their children :

1. ———. 2. *Richard*, living in Auburn, Me., 1896.

152. IV. JOHN BARNARD[7], b. 17 Dec., 1803, m. OLIVE HAYWARD.

153. V. RICHARD[7], b. 4 May, 1806, m. HANNAH KING.

VI. REBEKAH[7], b. 24 Dec., 1808, d. 22 Jan., 1810, æ. 13 months.

VII. SALLY D.[7], b. 30 May, 1811, m. first, 7 Feb., 1832, RICHARD DOWNING; m. second, 7 Sept., 1835, DAVID B. JOHNSON of Whitefield, N. H., who d. in Aug., 1841; m. third, 1845, JOHN H. MESERVE. Children of David B. and Sally D. Johnson :

1. *James S.*, d. in Libbey prison, Andersonville, Ga., during the Civil War.
2. *Edward H.*, d. in Wareham, Mass., 23 Nov., 1895.
3. *William Leroy*, b. 7 Feb., 1841, m. and was banker in Buckley, Iroquois Co., Ill., and living 1201 Michigan avenue, Chicago, Ill., 1897.

Child of John H. and Sally D. Meserve :

4. *Barnard*, living in Illinois 1897.

VIII. HANNAH[7], b. 1 July, 1813, d. 5 Feb., 1821, æ. 7 years.

154. IX. BENJAMIN, JR.[7], b. 9 Apr., 1816, m. LYDIA L. CURRIER.

X. NATHAN D.[7], b. 29 May, 1819, m. 29 Sept., 1841, JULIA A. RULE, and had dau.:

1. *Olive*[8].

They lived at one time in St. Louis, Mo., thence started for California, and he d. on the way at Lexington, Mo., in 1853, æ. 33 yrs., 10 ms. The widow continued the journey, and m. again, it is supposed, a Mr. Perry in California.

XI. HANNAH P.[7], b. 7 Jan., 1823, d. 5 Mar., 1824, æ. 4 months.

109.

ZENAS LANE[6] (Benjamin[5,4,3], John[2], James[1]), —— –1875, resided in Poland, Me., where he paid Nehemiah Lane $264 for 33 acres of land, Feb. 19, 1817, was party to transfer of real estate 21 times from 1817 to 1839, and his estate was conveyed to Benjamin P. Butler and others, Oct. 5, 1842.—*Deeds 84: 518, 179: 174.*

He m. first, 2 Feb., 1820, JUDITH NORWOOD of Gloucester, Mass., and second, JANE SAWTELL. He d. 1875. Zenas Lane, Jr., jeweller, Mechanic Falls, was appointed administrator on the estate, Sept., 1875; distribution ordered Dec., 1877.

Children of Zenas and Judith (Norwood) Lane:

I. ADELIA[7].

II. COLUMBIA[7].

III. ELLEN.[7]

IV. JUDITH[7], unm., living in Biddeford, 1892.

V. AMANDA[7], living in Biddeford, unm., 1892.

VI. ALBERT[7], d., æ. about 20 years.

VII. ZENAS[7], jeweller, and town clerk Mechanic Falls, Me., m. —— ROWE of Poland, and had children.

VIII. ASA HANSON[7], photographer, Waldoboro', Me., testified that the will of Benjamin Lane, his grandfather, was destroyed in

the Portland fire of July 4, 1866, and therefore he placed a verified copy of the will in the probate office, Aug. 30, 1875.—*Cumberland Co. Probate Records No. 201.*

He was m. ——, and d. in Massachusetts, Jan., 1892.

IX. EUSTACE[7], professor of music, Saco, Me. Had sons and daus.; one son is a Unitarian minister.

110.

ELIPHALET LANE[6] (Eliphalet[5], Benjamin[4.3], John[2], James[1]), born in New Gloucester, Me., and resided in Bethel and Wells, Me. He m. first, —— BARBOUR; m. second, —— POWERS.

Children:

155. I. JOTHAM SEWALL[7], b. Bethel, Me., 1805, m. three times, first, SUSAN WILLIS.

II. SYLVANUS[7], m. —— ——, and had two sons, and d. about 1885.

III. ASENATH[7], m. BARRETT HOWARD, lived in Ogdensburg, N. Y., and d. about 1885.

By second wife:

IV. BARBOUR[7], m. a sister of his brother, Jotham Sewall Lane's third wife.

V. CHARLES[7], lived in or near Augusta, Me.

VI. JAMES[7], lived in or near Augusta, Me.

111.

FREDERICK LANE[6] (Jonathan[5.4], Benjamin[3], John[2], James[1]), 1813–1892, was born in Gloucester, Mass., 1813, mariner, m. JUDITH STORY of Pigeon Cove, Rockport, Mass., dau. of James and Sally (Woodbury) Story. He d. Gloucester, 7 Jan., 1892, æ. 78 yrs., 8 ms., 21 ds. Buried at Mount Adnah, Annisquam, Mass.

Children:

I. CLARA[7], b. 21 Oct., 1840, d. 21 Aug., 1842.

II. CLARISSA[7], b. 21 Dec., 1845, d. 3 Aug., 1860, æ. 14 yrs., 7 ms., 13 ds.

III. FREDERICK W.[7], b. 25 Aug., 1849, a painter, m., age 40, his first m., 1 Jan., 1890, by Rev. Joel M. Leonard, MARY M. BURGES; she a dressmaker of Manchester, Mass., age 40, her second m., dau. of Abel Harvey and Ruth (McMarsters) Harvey of Burlington, N. S.

IV. ORVILLE[7], b. 3 June, 1851.

112.

ALLEN LANE[6] (Jonathan[5,4], Benjamin[3], John[2], James[1]), 1819–1878, was b. Gloucester, Mass., in 1819, mariner, m. 20 Jan., 1847, by Rev. Joseph A. Bartlett, his cousin, CHARLOTTE SARGENT; she b. Lanesville, Mass., in 1827, dau. of Samuel and Esther (Lane) Sargent. They lived at house 17 Chester square, Gloucester. He d. 17 Sept., 1878, æ. 59 yrs., 10 ms., 26 ds.

"At rest in heaven."

She d. 23 Mar., 1896, æ. 69 yrs., 11 ms., 23 ds.

"He gives his beloved sleep."

They were buried at Mount Adnah, Annisquam, Mass.

Children:

I. ALLEN[7], b. 4 Dec., 1847.

II. EDWARD A.[7], b. about 1848, painter, lived at Manchester, Mass., m. first, 20 July, 1858, by Rev. Robert P. Rogers, AMANDA SARGENT; she b. Annisquam, Mass., and d. Manchester, Mass., 13 Aug., 1883, æ. 35 yrs., 10 ms., 18 ds., dau. of William W. and Elizabeth B. (Dennis) Sargent.

"When we lay aside life's armor
And our trials are all o'er,
She will be the first to greet us
On the better, brighter shore."

—*Tombstone, Mount Adnah, Annisquam.*

Mr. Lane had second wife, BERTHA ADA ——. Children:

1. *Son*[8], stillborn, 28 Nov., 1868.
2. *Grace G.*[8], b. 23 Sept., 1871.
3. *Percy*[8].
4. *Henry Phillips*[8], d. 1 Sept., 1881, æ. 1 yr., 4 ms., 18 ds.

By second marriage:

5. *Amanda*[8].

III. CHARLES O.[7], b. 7 Oct., 1852, d. 16 Sept., 1853, æ. 10 ms.

IV. BERTHA A.[7], b. 11 Apr., 1856, principal of Bradstreet school, Gloucester, Mass.

113.

JOHN LANE[6] (Abner[5], Hezekiah[4], Benjamin[3], John[2], James[1]), when a boy lived with a woman by the name of Geers. He was a lumberman, m. RACHEL TYLER, and settled in Wayne Co., Penn., on the Delaware river. Their post office address was Hawkins Creek.

Their eight children were:

I. WILLIAM[7], died in the Civil War, 1861–1865, his son, Marion[8], living at Long Eddy, Sullivan Co., N. Y., in 1894.

II. ABRAHAM[7], b. 1821, m. SARAH DARLING, and moved to Iowa. She was living, his widow, 1894, with their son:

1. *W. Darling*[8], 811 University Place, Evanston, Ill.

III. SARAH[7], m. WILLIAM BROAD.

IV. ABBIE[7], m. WILLIAM FRYE.

V. MARY[7], m. —— INMAN.

VI. ESTHER[7], m. MIKE WESLER.

VII. ELIZABETH[7], m. DAVID BIGGS.

VIII. MARIA[7] m. DODGE ADAMS.

114.

HON. EBENEZER LANE[6] (Ebenezer[5,4], Job[3], John[2], James[1]), was born at New Gloucester, Me., in 1793. He said, "Poverty is

a good thing to begin the world with, and if rightly improved we can learn something useful from it that we never would learn if born rich."

Ebenezer Lane, Jr., of New Gloucester, wheelwright, paid his uncle, Job Lane of Pejepscott, $200, with a mortgage for $250, Sept., 22, 1814, for 30 acres of land with buildings in New Gloucester, it being the northeasterly half of lot No. 20, in the proprietors' second division. The mortgage excepted the right of dower to Peggy Lane, widow of Ebenezer Lane, Jr., deceased. This was the purchase by Mr. Lane the year he became of age, of a part of the original lot on which his grandfather Lane had settled more than half a century before, thus securing a home for his widowed mother. He became a prosperous merchant in New Orleans, La., and in Oxford, Ohio.

Lane Theological Seminary was chartered and a preparatory school opened in 1829. Its organization was a part of a general scheme for the higher education of the Mississippi valley. The Kemper family donated lands which have proved of great value. The seminary possesses attractive buildings and grounds at Walnut Hills, a suburb of Cincinnati. Ebenezer and Andrew Lane gave $4,000.00 and the name to the institution. A theological department was added in 1832, and it became the first school of theology in Ohio. Dr. Lyman Beecher left his ministry in Boston to become its president and senior theological professor.

But the anti-slavery movement in 1834 brought an unexpected change to affairs in the seminary. The board of trustees requested the discontinuance of the local colonization and anti-slavery societies in the institution, and also the cessation of all discussion of the subject of slavery. This the pupils refused to do. They said, "The ground of our secession from the seminary is that free discussion and correspondent action have been prohibited by law."—*Signed by 51 persons, Dec. 15, 1834.*

A large majority of the students withdrew to Oberlin Collegiate Institute, which was opened in 1833 and chartered in 1834. The students were accompanied by Rev. Asa Mahan, the trustee who openly espoused their cause, and by John Morgan, an instructor in the seminary. Mahan was chosen president at Oberlin in 1835. Morgan was appointed professor of mathematics there, and the same year Rev. Charles G. Finney was called from New York to the chair of theology.

Mr. Lane wrote of the seminary to Rev. James P. Lane, under date of Oct. 24, 1869:

"The plan of founding that institution originated with myself. My brother, Andrew Lane, joined me in a donation to it. It has able professors and a good library, and I trust has done good. But it has not met my expectations. The object of its establishment was to prepare indigent young men for the gospel ministry; and the manual labor system was to be made a prominent feature of the institution, by which young men could preserve their health and meet all

or nearly all their necessary expenses. But the manual labor department was badly managed and was abolished. About this time the slavery question caused much excitement and resulted in one of the best professors and about sixty students leaving the institution and going to Oberlin. This was a heavy blow to Lane Seminary, but was a great means of building up Oberlin, which is now the largest and I think the best institution in the state. I still have the strongest confidence in manual labor schools when well managed. But we all know nothing prospers badly managed. I believe in educating the sexes together, and the manual labor system made more prominent than it ever has been in any institution. Twelve hours in the twenty-four should be equally divided between study and labor. The health and expenses of the student require six hours labor per day: and six hours devoted to mental culture will enable a young man of fair talents to get a good education,—one who cannot get it in this time is not worth educating. There are many young men and women in the country who could obtain a liberal education by their own daily labor, if suitable institutions were established. It is the poor we should assist in rising in the world; the rich can take care of themselves. I have a good farm here of 107 acres, and a house 38x76 feet, sufficiently large for the beginning of a manual labor school, and would use it for this purpose if I could get a suitable person to join me in establishing a school of this kind."

The remarkable career of Hon. Ebenezer Lane has given rise to several attempts to tell his story in the form of fiction.

One account of his life was written by John Babson Lane Soule, and published in J. Friedman & Co.'s Monthly Gazette, Lewiston, Me., for February, 1874. The sketch is entitled "From Thistle Patch to Cincinnati." It purports to give the life of one Robert Lane, who came at length to establish the Lane Theological Seminary, in Cincinnati, Ohio. Ragged Bob, the village vagabond, 16 or 17 years of age, is noticed, lectured, advised and encouraged by lawyer Samuel Fessenden. "And now, Robert," said the Esquire, as the boy was leaving his door, "the next time I hear from you, let me hear something good. Above all things *get out of Thistle Patch*." Bob runs away, gets a job, studies, takes a school, succeeds, marries one of his pupils, goes to New Orleans, becomes a prosperous merchant, returns wealthy at Cincinnati, and endows the seminary.

Another narrative is the more ambitious romance published among "The Temperance Tales," by Lucius Manlius Sargent, and entitled "Kitty Grafton." The scene is laid in Heathermead End, and Parson More tells the story. The beautiful and accomplished Christiana Jansen, only child of respected and wealthy parents, weds and brings home Ethan Grafton, a thrifty farmer's son. Happy, prosperous years go swiftly by. Sons and daughters bless the home. The godly grandparents die, leaving ample estates and a reputable standing to the family. But farmer Grafton's orchard and his cider, *good as wine*, proves ultimately his ruin, morally and financially. At length thrift, comfort and happiness forsake the household, and years of sheer misery and domestic war-

fare ensue. In the midst of it all, while still a young man, the prodigal husband falls from his horse and breaks his neck. He is buried from the poor house, followed to a pauper's grave by his eldest son Elkanah as chief and only mourner. The once brilliant belle of Heathermead End is left a widow, crazed and broken hearted, and her children are left to a cottage of destitution, ignorance and misery. Ethan Grafton's cider was equal to wine.

Elkanah Grafton is kept marvellously pure and helpful through all his childhood of degradation and wretchedness, the only stay of the family. Now nearly 17 years of age, he develops much good sense and wise forecast. He plans to leave home and seek his fortune. Kind friends and wise counsellers appear in Job Rawlins, the shoemaker, Ashur Mellen, the nearest farmer, and in Parson More and wife at the parsonage. One early morning hour, Elky turned his back upon Heathermead End. His traveling outfit was superlatively simple. A small bundle, but containing his grandfather's pocket bible and swung over his shoulder on his grandfather's oaken staff, comprised his whole earthly possessions.

More than six months elapse when, one day, to the great delight of parsonage and shoe shop, the post brought a double letter from Elkanah. The lad was in New York city; had been porter in a store, had purchased a hand-cart, then a horse and dray, had learned to write and cipher and keep accounts; and the thankful youth had enclosed twenty dollars for his mother and the children. Letters and remittances followed every three or four months.

By the end of fourteen months he had sold his horse and dray and was received to the counting room of A. I. McFinnison & Co. The firm did an extensive business in the West, and at the end of two years their trusted clerk was at New Orleans and established in business on his own account. When five years had passed, Elkanah Grafton visits Heathermead with abundant means, benevolent purposes and established Christian integrity. His presence was a benediction to the entire hamlet. Mother's cottage, neighbors' shop and farm and parsonage all share in his benign ministrations, while the brothers and sisters are sent to school and college.

Many years passed away. Elkanah still lived, opulent, respected and beloved — the benefactor of his fellow men. In a distant part of our country there is a fountain of learning and piety whose streams have gone forth to refresh and invigorate the world. The Christian student mingles with his thanksgiving to the Most High God, his grateful recollections of its patron — that wandering boy who, having no earthly father to comfort and guide him, became the child of God — a steward of the poor, a benefactor of mankind. Such was Elkanah Grafton.

Hon. Ebenezer Lane m. in New Orleans, 1825, CELESTE HEARSEY, dau. of Edward Hearsey of Charlestown, Mass. She d. in April, 1866. Four children:

I. CELESTE[7], not married.

II. EDWARD PAYSON[7], d. May, 1869, leaving a widow and four children.

III. JOHN HOWARD[7], m. and resided in Memphis, Tenn., and Oxford, Ohio.

IV. EMILY[7], m. a Methodist minister, who was at one time stationed at Oxford, Ohio.

115.

ANDREW LANE, JR.[6] (Andrew[5,4], Job[3], John[2], James[1]) b. Rockport, Mass., 14 Feb., 1818, ent. int. of m. 5 Nov., and was published 10 Nov., 1839, with SUSAN S. SIMPSON; she d. 3 Oct., 1894, æ. 74 yrs., 4 ds., dau. of Ivory and Mary (Young) Simpson of York, Me. He m. second, 26 Sept., 1895, by Rev. Israel Ainsworth, MRS. HANNAH SIMPSON-DIXON of Somerville, Mass.; she b. about 1832, dau. of Ivory and Mary (Young) Simpson of York, Me.

Children:

I. ANDREW J.[7], b. 28 Dec., 1840, farmer of Rockport, m. 9 May, 1866, by Rev. W. C. High, MARY C. HALE; she b. Rockport, about 1842, dau. of Albert and Mary B. Hale. Their children:

1. *Andrew H.*[8], b. 18 Feb., 1867.
2. *Wilbur Arthur*[8], b. 2 July, 1871.
3. *Marian*[8], b. 19 Oct., 1882.

II. IVORY[7], b. 10 May, 1842, enlisted U. S. Navy at Portsmouth, N. H., June 22, 1861, served on U. S. S. "Dale," discharged disabled Jan. 7, 1862, from receiving ship, Philadelphia, Pa. He m. SARAH GOODRICH, and d. 15 Nov., 1869, æ. 27 yrs., 6 ms. Their daughter:

1. *Florence*[8], b. about 1867, m. 9 Aug., 1888, by Rev. W. H. Rider, *Joseph D. Driver*; he b. Rockport, age 36, son of Joseph D. and Delia (Lowe) Driver.

III. LEVERETT[7], b. 14 Nov., 1844, m. 26 Nov., 1871, by Rev. Charles C. McIntire, LOUISA M. HALE; she b. Rockport, about 1851, dau. of Albert G. and Mary Hale. Their children:

1. *Susan May*[8], b. 15 Oct., 1874.
2. *Charles Pierce*[8], b. 9 Apr., 1877.

IV. HORACE[7], b. 15 Nov., 1847, m. ALBERTA F. POOL of Rockport, and had:

1. *Mabel*[8], b. 18 Oct., 1872, at Rockport.

V. ERNEST[7], b. about 1849, farmer, Rockport, m. 21 Dec., 1871, by Rev. Charles C. McIntire, ALBERTA F. POOL; she b. Rockport, about 1851, dau. of Mark and Sally Pool.

VI. JOHN HENRY[7], b. about 1855, farmer, Rockport, m. 6 June, 1877, by Rev. Charles C. McIntire, EMMA J. HALSTEAD; she b. Scituate, Mass., about 1858, adopted dau. of Thomas and Mercy J. (Bartlett) Halstead. Their children:

1. *Jane Halstead*[8], b. 3 Feb., 1878, m. 27 Nov., 1895, by Rev. Richard M. Peacock, *Francis Nelson;* he b. about 1873, son of John and Ellen (Tobey) Nelson of South Boston, Mass.
2. *Herman Russell*[8], b. 6 June, 1892.

VII. SUSAN S.[7], b. about 1858, m. 1 May, 1878, by Rev. Charles C. McIntire, HENRY H. THURSTON; he trader, b. about 1853, son of Winthrop and Mary (Fears) Thurston of Rockport.

116.

GEORGE LANE[6] (George[5], Andrew[4], Job[3], John[2], James[1]), 1804–1883, was b. in Rockport, Mass., 1 Nov., 1804. He m. first, DELIA SAWYER ROWE, who united with the First Congregational church of Rockport, on profession of faith, Mar. 2, 1828, and d. 11 Sept., 1870, æ. 59 yrs., 10 ms., dau. of George W. and Mary E. Rowe. He m. second, 22 May, 1872, by Rev. E. S. Atwood, MRS. ADELIA POOL, m. n. Wainwright; she b. about 1826, dau. of Thomas and Harriet Wainwright of Rockport. Mr. Lane united with the First Congregational church of Rockport, on profession of faith, March 17, 1839, and d. 3 Sept., 1883, æ. 78 yrs., 10 ms.

Children born in Rockport:

I. GEORGE WHITEFIELD[7], b. 31 Mar., 1835, d. young.

II. MARIA LOWE[7], b. 18 Apr., 1838, m. at Boston, Mass., 12 Dec., 1871, by Rev. A. A. Miner, HORACE LANE[8], jeweller of Lanes-

ville, Mass. (David[7], Epes[6], David[5.4], John[3.2], James[1]). He d. 15 Aug., 1881, æ. 44 yrs., 8 ms. She d. 28 Mar., 1880, æ. 42 years. Their children:

1. *Delia Sawyer*[8], b. 29 Oct., 1874.
2. *David Horace*[8], b. July, 1877.
3. *Others*[8], died.

III. EVERETT H.[7], b. 21 Mar., 1845, jeweller at Walpole, Mass., and Gloucester, Mass., m. first, 2 Jan., 1870, by Rev. James W. Cooper, LAURA J. TARR; she b. about 1847, and d. Oct., 1874, dau. of Abner and Emeline Tarr of Rockport. He m. second, 24 Jan., 1876, by Rev. A. J. Lyon, CARRIE S. WETHERBEE of Rockport; she b. about 1860, dau. of John and Sophia M. (Fay) Wetherbee. Their children:

1. *Laura Wetherbee*[8], b. Gloucester, 14 Feb., 1877, d. 10 Aug., 1877, æ. 5 ms., 26 ds.
2. *Marion Garland*[8], b. Walpole, 16 Aug., 1880.
3. *Lottie Rowe*[8], b. Walpole, 26 Sept., 1882.
4. *Hattie Evelyn*[8], b. Rockport, 23 Aug., 1885.
5. *George Everett*[8], b. Rockport, 11 Aug., 1889.
6. *Ruth Wetherbee*[8], b. Rockport, 26 Aug., 1891.
7. *John Albert*[8], b. Rockport, 4 Nov., 1894.

156. IV. HOWARD GARLAND[7], b. 15 Dec., 1850, m. GRACE G. POOL.

V. OTHERS[7].

117.

STEPHEN LANE[6] (Stephen[5], Samuel[4.3.2], James[1]), was b. in Gloucester, Mass., 13 Oct., and bap. 24 Dec., 1769. He ent. int. of m. 11 Apr., was published 13 Apr., and m. 19 Apr., 1792, SUSANNAH INGERSOLL or SAYWARD by Rev. Eli Forbes of Gloucester.

Their children:

157. I. STEPHEN H.[7], b. 7 May, bap. 20 Aug., 1794, m. HANNAH CENTRE and JUDITH D. POLAND.

II. JOHN INGERSOLL[7], b. 26 Sept., bap. 9 Oct., 1796.

III. SAMUEL[7], b. 2 Apr., bap. 10 Nov., 1799.

118.

JONATHAN DENNISON LANE[6] (Stephen[5], Samuel[4,3,2], James[1]), b. 7, bap. 19 Sept., 1775, was a sailmaker at Gloucester, Mass. He ent. int. 27 July, and m. 7 Sept., 1798, by Rev. Daniel Fuller, SARAH RING HASKELL, dau. of Stephen and Sally Haskell. His claim against the estate of Wentworth Riggs Lane was allowed, Nov. 13, 1810. Administration on his estate was granted to Sarah Lane, widow, Nov. 19, 1816. Inventory taken Dec. 28, 1816, was returned July 15, 1817.—*Essex Co. Wills.*

His widow d. 19 Feb., 1853, æ. 85 years.

Children:

158. I. EDWARD[7], b. 5, bap. 21 Nov., 1802, m. BETSEY —— and EUNICE NORWOOD.

II. NATHANIEL ROGERS[7], b. 19 Dec., 1804, bap. 17 Mar., 1805.

III. SARAH ANN[7], b. 28 July, 1806, bap. 21 Feb., and d. 25 Oct., 1808.

IV. SARAH ANN[7], b. 22 Dec., 1809, bap. 15 July, 1810, m. Mr. WINTER.

V. FITZ HENRY[7], b. 8 Dec., 1804, celebrated marine painter in Boston and Gloucester; unm., artist, d. of cancer, 13 Aug., 1865, æ. 60 yrs., 8 ms., buried at Oak Grove, Gloucester.

"At the age of eighteen months, while playing in the yard or garden of his father, Fitz H. Lane ate some of the seeds of the apple-peru, and was so unfortunate as to lose the use of his lower limbs in consequence, owing to late and unskilful medical treatment. He showed in boyhood a talent for drawing and painting, but received no instruction in the rules till he went to Boston, at the age of twenty-eight, to work in Pendleton's lithographic establishment. From that time his taste and ability were rapidly developed; and, after a residence of several years in Boston, he came back to Gloucester with a reputation fully established. Since his return to his native town he has painted many pictures, all of which have been much admired. He has often contributed a production of his pencil for the promotion of a benevolent enterprise. With characteristic kindness he furnished the sketches for the engravings of Babson's History of Gloucester."—*John J. Babson.*

119.

JOSHUA LANE[6] (Daniel[5,4], Job[3], John[2], James[1]), a merchant of Leeds, Me., m. MEHITABLE BRETT, dau. of Rufus and Susanna (Carey) Brett of South Paris, Me., and d. in 1820. Mrs. Lane m. again, Thomas Lothrop of Leeds, and had daughter:

I. LOUISA, m. DANIEL CAREY of Turner, Me.

Children of Joshua and Mehitable (Brett) Lane:

The genealogy on the Brett side has been traced back in regular line to John Alden of Mayflower memory.

I. Rev. DANIEL LANE[7], D.D., was born in Leeds, Me., 10 Mar., 1813. After his father's death he lived with his mother and uncle, Seneca Brett, at South Paris, Me. He fittted for college at Bridgton Academy, graduated from Bowdoin College, 1838, was principal of North Yarmouth Academy, 1838–1839, and graduated at Andover Theological Seminary, 1843. He m. 9 Sept., 1843, ELIZABETH J. STAPLES of Freeport, Me.; she b. 4 Aug., 1820, united with the Congregational church at Freeport, on public profession of faith, Oct. 8, 1837, dau. of Capt. David and Elizabeth (Bartol) Staples. They went West together in company with ten Andover classmates who constituted the famous "Iowa Band" of home missionaries. He was ordained at Denmark, Iowa, Nov. 5, 1843, was pastor in Keosauqua, Iowa, ten years, was then chosen Professor of Mental and Moral Science in Iowa College, of which he was one of the founders. This chair he held until 1858, resigning on the removal of the college from Davenport to Grinnell. He then taught three years in Keosauqua. Resuming ministerial work, he held a pastorate of four years in Eddyville and of six years in Belle Plain, Iowa. Failing health led him to resign in 1872, and for a time he served Iowa College as financial agent. After a short residence in Oskaloosa, Iowa, he returned to Freeport, Me., in 1882. Here he joined the Congregational church by letter, Mar. 4, 1883, received the degree of D.D. from Iowa College in 1886, solemnized the m. of James H. Todd and Nellie F. Walker, Aug. 13, 1887, and died of heart failure, 3 Apr., 1890, æ. 77 yrs., 20 ds. Early pupils have placed in the church in Keosauqua an oriel memorial window

bearing his name. "We point to his life as one of the great and valuable factors in the growth and development of early Iowa. There are none who came under the influence of his teaching and character who fail to recognize his life as an inspiration to them." —*An Early Pupil.*

"Gifted with a clear and firm mind, a thorough student, possessing an elevated spirit, instant conscience, and kindly and generous affections, he was endeared and honored in all the relations which he sustained in life."—*Minutes of Gen. Asso. of Iowa.*

Mrs. Lane survived her husband ten years, dying in 1900.

II. JOSHUA, Jr.[7], b. in Leeds, 2 Nov., 1819.

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JOHN LANE[6] (James[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), was born in Leeds, Me., 31 May, 1796; a deacon, m. 20 Apr., 1823, VESTA PHILLIPS, and d. 12 May, 1863. George B. Lane was appointed administrator, Dec., 1863.

Children born in Leeds:

I. CHARLES C.[7], b. 7 Nov., 1829, m. 1855, MARY JANE LOTHROP, dau. of Col. Leavitt and Elizabeth (Lane)[6] Lothrop, (Elias[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), and d. 25 Oct., 1857. One daughter:

1. *Neva C. C.*[8], b. Leeds, 7 Dec., 1856, a teacher in Pendleton, Ore.; her mother lives with her.

159. II. GEORGE B.[7], b. 16 Feb., 1833, m. VIOLA A. RAMSDELL.

III. ABIGAIL R.[7], b. 2 Mar., 1840, m. 1860, JOHN O. PALMER; he son of Humphrey Palmer of Fayette, Me., and Charlotte (Lyford) Palmer of East Livermore, Me. Both are members of the Baptist church. He was an enterprising and progressive farmer, and represented Livermore in the Legislature, 1885 and 1889. Their children:

1. *Irving O.*, b. 17 May, 1862, m. *Mary Cushing.* He graduated at Colby University, and was principal of the High School, Wareham, Mass. One child, Marie Irving.
2. *Justin A.*, b. 16 Dec., 1863, d. 20 Aug., 1865.
3. *Charlotte L.*, b. 10 Aug., 1869, d. 1873.
4. *George Lane*, b. 9 Aug., 1871, resided on the home farm.
5. *Rossa P.*, b. 1874, d. 1887.

121.

CYRUS FOSS[4] (Uriah[3], and Sarah Goodridge, Levi[2], Walter[1]), was born in Saco, Me., 21 June, 1785, a soldier in the war of 1812, died at Leeds, Me., 16 Oct., 1836. He m. 10 July, 1808, POLLY LANE[6], (Giddings[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3.2], James[1]); she b. in Leeds, 6 Feb., 1790, received a pension after the death of her husband, and d. in Livermore, Me., 6 Sept., 1871. He was twin brother of Daniel Foss, who m. Eunice Lane[6], (Daniel[5.4], Samuel[3.2], James[1]).

OBITUARY NOTICE OF POLLY LANE FOSS.

"Died in East Livermore, Sept. 5, 1871, Mrs. Polly Foss, aged 81 years. She experienced religion when quite young; was baptized and united with the First Baptist church in Leeds. Afterward, for a time, she was a member of the Baptist church in Hallowell, Me., and for the few last years was a member of the Second Baptist church in Livermore. For several years she had made her home with her son-in-law, Mr. Benjamin Edgecombe, who with his wife did what they could to make her comfortable and smooth her way down the decline of life. She frequently spoke of their great kindness with pleasure, which contributed very much to her happiness. She adorned her profession by a uniform Christian life. For a long time she was quite feeble and deprived of the privilege of meeting with the church, but frequently sent her love to it, and her great desire for its prosperity. She manifested great patience, and looked forward to the hour of her departure with pleasing anticipations. Her end was peace."

Twelve children:

I. CHRISTOPHER GORE[5], b. 22 May, 1809, m. 7 Jan., 1835, OLIVE LOTHROP. He was ensign of the 4th ward company Infantry, 2d Regiment, 1st Brigade, 3d Division of State Militia, 1834; Postmaster of Milo, 1837, justice of the peace and quorum of Penobscot Co. for the term of seven years, and d. 21 Nov., 1843; she m. again and d. in 1890. No children.

II. GIDDINGS LANE[5], b. 23 Sept., 1810, d. 18 Nov., 1837, unm.

III. JEMIMA LANE[5], b. 5 Sept., 1812, m. 27 Aug., 1835, LEWIS PAGE TRUE; he b. in Litchfield, Me., 18 May, 1811, d. Augusta, Me., 23 Sept., 1853, son of Daniel and Sally (West) True, who removed from North Yarmouth Me., to Leeds in 1808, and was a descendant of Henry and Isabel (Pike) True of Salisbury, Mass. Their children were:

1. *Mary Ellen*, b. Bangor, Me., 23 Mar., 1837, d. Leeds, 10 Mar., 1841.
2. *Daniel Edwin*, b. Litchfield, 8 Dec., 1838, d. Livermore, 27 May, 1842.
3. *Emma Sarah*, b. Leeds, 8 June, 1840, m. 6 June, 1864, *Melville Cox Clarke;* he b. Gorham, Me., 20 May, 1837, son of Rev. Daniel and Mary (Knight) Clarke, and d. Richmond, Me., 15 Aug., 1866. Their daughter:

1) Annie Augusta, b. Richmond, 19 Apr., 1865, res. Portland, Me.

4. *Annie Foss*, b. Livermore, 22 Feb. 1842, m. 2 Jan., 1867, *George Roberts Davis*, a merchant of Portland, Me.; he b. Portland, 4 May, 1818, son of Isaac and Mary Pearson (Little) Davis. His mother was the 7th generation from George Little, who settled in Newbury, Mass., 1640. Their children born in Portland:

1) Gilbert Roberts, b. 17 Mar., 1871, d. 2 Apr., 1876. 2) Arthur True, b. 16 May, 1874, student at the Institute of Technology, Boston, Mass., class of 1898. 3) Melville Roberts, b. 7 May, 1876, student at Institute of Technology, class of 1899.

5. *Lewis Edwin*, b. Livermore, 23 Feb., 1844, d. Augusta, 22 Feb., 1856.
6. *Rosalinda Edgecombe*, b. Livermore, 5 July, 1848, res. Portland.
7. *Christopher Foss*, b. Livermore, 8 June, 1851, d. Augusta, 26 June, 1854.

IV. DANIEL[5], b. 25 July, 1814, m. 10 July, 1841, NANCY, dau. of James and Mary (McKenney) MOULTON, and d. 21 Sept., 1858; she was b. 1 Apr., 1812, m. second, Hiram Hines, and d. in Lewiston, Me., 22 Apr., 1891. No children.

V. CYRUS WILSON[5], b. 15 Aug., 1815, d. North Leeds, 23 Feb., 1890. He m. first, at Bangor, Me., 21 Aug., 1839, CHARLOTTE TOWLE; she b. Bangor, 5 Sept., 1817, and d. there in 1849. He m. second, CATHERINE B., dau. of Andre and Catherine (Murphy) SWANSON of Philadelphia, Pa.; she b. 8 Jan., 1828, and d. 15 Dec., 1883. Children by first marriage:

1. *Adelaide Towle*[6], b. Lincoln, Me., July, 1842, d. 1843.
2. *Adelaide Towle*[6], b. Lincoln, July, 1845, m. *Charles Waterman* of Philadelphia, son of Thomas and Anna Waterman. They had children:

1) Kate and 2) C. Reid.

3. *Mary Frances*[6], b. Lincoln, 27 Sept., 1846, res. Bangor, Me.
4. *Cyrus Edwin*[6], b. Boston, 1848, d. Livermore, 1850.

By second marriage:

5. *Annie Waterman*[6], b. Philadelphia, 4 Nov., 1850, m. 7 Apr., 1879, her cousin, *Aubrey Wilson Edgecombe*, res. North Leeds. Children:

1) Mary Cardiff, b. Livermore, 15 Aug., 1881. 2) Sarah Etta, b. Livermore, 31 Mar., 1886.

6. *Andrew Swanson*[6], b. Philadelphia, 9 Sept., 1855, m. in Philadelphia, 22 July, 1881, *Emma W*——. Had one child:

1) Cyrus Wilson[7].

VI. THADDEUS WARSAW[5], b. 12 June, 1818, m. 17 Aug., 1841, MARTHA JANE SHAW, and d. Augusta, 27 Apr., 1885. Their children:

1. *Wilson*[6]. 2. *Leroy*[6].

VII. ALPHEUS LANE[5], b. 8 June, 1820, m. 18 Feb., 1843, ABIGAIL J. HALL, moved west and had one daughter.

VIII. ANOURILL COOLIDGE[5], b. 29 Oct., 1822, d. 20 Feb., 1842, unm.

IX. ROSALINDA LANE[6], b. 3 June, 1825, m. 4 Jan., 1848, BENJAMIN, son of Capt. Benjamin and Sarah (Foss) EDGECOMBE of Livermore; he b. 17 Jan., 1824, res. North Leeds. Children:

1. *Aubrey Wilson*, b. 19 Mar., 1849, m. 7 Apr., 1879, his cousin, *Annie Waterman Foss*, res. North Leeds.
2. *Sarah Etta*, b. 2 Mar., 1856, d. 27 Jan., 1861.
3. *Eli*, b. 13 Sept., 1863, graduated from Bates College, Lewiston, Me., in 1890, teacher at Paris Hill and Camden, Me., m. 1 May, 1892, *Eva Mae*, dau. of Lorin Curtis *Fickett*; she b. 29 Oct., 1871.

X. INFANT[5], d. 27 Aug., 1826.

XI. MARY JANE[5], b. 4 Aug., 1827, d. 20 Nov., 1841.

XII. JOSEPHINE BONAPARTE[5], b. 8 Sept., 1830, m. 2 Apr., 1850, JOHN WESLEY CLARKE; he b. Minot, Me., 29 Mar., 1826, brother of Melville Cox Clarke. They res. Hallowell, Me., and had:

1. *Mary Ada*, b. 25 July, 1854, d. 27 May, 1877.
2. *John Edwin*, b. 28 July, 1866, d. 7 Feb., 1878.

122.

ALPHEUS LANE[6] (Giddings[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), 1791– ——, was born in Leeds, Me., 5 Dec., 1791, at one time kept a hotel in Wayne, Me., now called the Stinchfield Hotel, and d. in Milo, Me. He m. first, 13 Nov., 1816, SALLY FOSS; she b. Saco, Me., 25 Mar., 1797, and d. 25 Aug., 1826, a sister of Cyrus Foss, who m. his sister, Polly Lane. He m. second, 14 Apr., 1828, ELIZABETH STINCHFIELD; she b. Leeds, 22 May, 1800, dau. of Capt. Roger Stinchfield, the first male child born in Leeds. She was paralyzed the last ten years of her life and d. at Lubec, Me., in 1876.

Children by first marriage:

I. SEWELL[7], b. 10 June, 1817, m. VIRGINIA A. SWIFORD, settled in Virginia, died during the cholera scourge 1859; wife and two sons living there in 1896.

II. SARAH[7], b. 27 Sept., 1822, m. CHARLES AUSTIN of Canton, Me. He d. in 1883; she lived, 1896, with son Sewall in Iowa.

III. ALPHEUS[7], b. 1826, d. young.

By second marriage:

IV. JOHN[7], d. young.

V. FRANCES[7], d. young.

VI. ROSCOE[7], b. 4 Mar., 1834, d. in California 1872.

VII. HELEN FRANCES[7], b. Hartford, Me., 14 Dec., 1836, when ten years old moved with her parents to Milo, Me.; m. 14 Aug., 1857, Capt. GEORGE W. MCFADDEN of Lubec, Me., who was b. Oct., 1826, gave up the sea in 1892, and resided in Lubec. Their children:

1. *Cora L.*, b. 14 Aug, 1858, d. 12 Dec., 1865.
2. *Roscoe*, b. 9 July, 1860, d. 13 Dec., 1865.
3. *Virginia S.*, b. 15 Oct., 1862, m. 6 Apr., 1893, *Rev. Harry Minnick*; he b. 2 Oct., 1862, in Wabash Co., Ind., graduated from Bible College, Kentucky University, and was pastor of Disciples church, Lubec, Me., 1896.

VIII. FREDERICK WALDO[7], b. 30 Oct., 1838; first lieutenant Co. B, 20th Maine Regiment, wounded and taken prisoner at the battle of the Wilderness, Apr. 7, 1864 and d. 18 Apr., 1864.

IX. OTIS[7], b. 22 May, 1842, res., 1896, Reno, Nevada.

X. VIRGINIA S.[7], b. 15 Oct., 1844, d. of consumption, 16 Nov., 1871, æ. 27 years.

123.

GIDDINGS LANE[6] (Giddings[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3.2], James[1]), 1802–1879, was born in Leeds, Me., 16 Aug., 1802, and died 15 Nov., 1879. He acquired a good common school and academic education, laboring on the farm in the summer and teaching in winter. For half a century he was a leading spirit in his native

town and one of the most prominent factors in the business, social and religious life of Leeds.

He made a tour through the South in 1833, introducing the agricultural novelty of Pitts' horse power and separator. He was captain of militia and led his company in the Aroostook War, 1837–1839. He was town treasurer, 1843 to 1850: was one of the originators of the Androscoggin Railroad Co. in 1850, and, as director for 13 years, infused his energy into its construction and operation, was representative in 1854, and active in bringing about the organization of Androscoggin county. In 1862, he organized a gold mining company with Maine and Massachusetts capital, crossed the plains in 1863 with a train of ox and mule teams, loaded with quartz-crushing and other machinery, located his plant fifty miles west of Denver, Col., and for five years gave his personal superintendence to the operations of the company. He built a portion of the Knox and Lincoln Railroad in 1869. The culmination of his business life was the erection, largely due to him, of the Universalist house of worship at Leeds Centre, which was completed and dedicated in 1872. The Universalist Society was incorporated Nov. 18, 1873; he was chosen clerk and held that office till his death, when his son, G. W. Lane, succeeded him. He was a man of rapid thought, quick decision, unbounded enterprise, and had a rare quality of bringing his labors to a successful completion. Energetic, persevering, and possessed of a magnetism that attracted people and won friends, his business life was a uniform success.

His pastor, Rev. Otis H. Johnson, said, "Brother Lane was one of the most distinguished citizens of Leeds. For many years he was untiring in his exertions in every public enterprise within his reach which had for its object the welfare of his fellow men. As a Christian he was outspoken and faithful in his duties to the cause he deemed of unparalleled excellence in the moral elevation of the world. His pleasant greetings and helpful suggestions will long be remembered."—*George Drew Merrill.*

Mr. Lane m. 1 Jan., 1834, CASSANDRA, dau. of Dr. Cyrus and Lydia (Wood) BENSON of Bridgewater, Mass. She was b. 30 July, 1813. In 1864, Cassandra Lane *et al.* bought land in Bridgewater, Mass. Giddings Lane *et al.* sold real estate in Bridgewater, Mass., 1864.

Mrs. Lane was an estimable lady, and a descendent of two notable families of Plymouth Co., Mass.

Children:

I. AUBREY GIDDINGS[7], b. 17 July, 1835, d. 13 Sept., 1836.

160. II. CYRUS BENSON[7], b. 6 June, 1838, m. ALBINA L. LOTHROP.

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III. GUSTAVUS WILSON[7], b. 12 Nov., 1841, m. first, 19 Feb., 1863, HELEN M. SNOW, who d. 16 Apr., 1871; m. second, 10 Sept., 1882, SUSAN E. LOTHROP, dau. of Willard and Emma (Boothby) Lothrop. Mr. Lane settled on the homestead in Leeds, but established himself at the centre in trade, 1883, where he built a steam grist-mill, 1889; served the town as clerk, treasurer and school supervisor; was station and express agent, treasurer of Leeds' Dairying Association and member of Monmouth Lodge of F. and A. Masons. His politics were of the Jeffersonian type; in religion he was a Universalist.

124.

CALVIN LANE[6] (Giddings[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), 1814–1892, was born in Leeds, Me., 6 Sept., 1814, m. 1 Nov., 1835, DULCENIA LOTHROP, dau. of Daniel and Lucy Lothrop; she b. Leeds, 11 Apr., 1813, and d. 18 Oct., 1895. They moved to Carroll, Me., in 1836, where he cleared the farm on which he lived fifteen years, then kept store in the village for a few years and returned again to the farm. He was selectman of Carroll several years and d. 19 May, 1892.

Children:

I. FRANCES A.[7], b. Leeds, 27 Nov., 1836, m. 8 Dec., 1858, GEORGE E. BALDWIN of Prentiss, Me. Their children born in Prentiss:

1. *Calvin E.*, b. 13 Dec., 1859, farmer and milkman, Prentiss.
2. *Frank E.*, b. 25 Mar., 1861, grad. Randolph College, N. Y., m. 2 June, 1888, *Eleanor M. Mathews* of Chautauqua, N. Y., a Meth. Episcopal minister, Evanston, Ill.
3. *Flora E.*, b. 25 Oct., 1863, grad. Chautauqua Class 1890, teacher at Salt Lake City, Utah.
4. *Joshua T.*, b. 23 Aug., 1865, milkman and farmer, Prentiss.
5. *Ira A.*, b. 28 Oct., 1867, d. 7 Oct., 1868.
6. *Iza F.*, b. 7 Aug., 1868, d. 10 Feb., 1877.
7. *Myra A.*, b. 23 Oct., 1871, grad. Normal School, Lee, Me., and Surgical Hospital, Minneapolis, Minn., 1893.
8. *Leroy G.*, b. 4 Apr., 1873, d. 1 Dec., 1878.
9. *Nina Belle*, b. 10 Feb., 1877, school teacher.

II. ESTHER J.[7], b. Carroll, 18 Nov., 1839, m. 25 Mar., 1859, GEORGE TAYLOR of Topsfield, Me.

III. SON[7], b. 9 May, 1842, d. 19 May, 1842.

IV. ORESTUS N.[7], b. 20 June, 1843, m. in Meddybemps, Me., 5 May, 1867, MYRA J. MCDOUGAL.

V. CLARA A.[7], b. 10 Oct., 1847, m. 28 Feb., 1869, ALONZO NOBLE of Carroll, and had:

1. *Carl B.*, b. 30 Apr., 1870, m. in Worcester, Mass., 10 June, 1895, *Maggie R. Falt.*
2. *Dulcenia B.*, b. 30 Nov., 1882.
3. *Edgar L.*, b. 20 Aug., 1894.

161. VI. DANIEL G.[7], b. 7 July, 1853, m. ELLA F. HOOKE.

VII. ELLA MAY[7], b. 3 Jan., 1857, d. 18 Jan., 1858.

125.

ALVAN LANE[6] (Elias[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), was born in Leeds, Me., 27 July, 1801, m. first, 27 Dec., 1823, LUCY MITCHELL, m. second, 29 Jan., 1843, MRS. HANNAH DONHAM. He d. 1 Jan., 1854.

Children:

I. ORSON[7], b. in 1826, m. first, in 1852, SUSAN E. BOOTHBY, and second, in 1859, VIORA G. BOOTHBY, and d. 16 Apr., 1882. Children:

1. *Melvina Clark*[8], b. 2 Apr., 1852, res. Brockton, Mass.
2. *Lucy Mitchell*[8], b. 16 Sept., 1861, a fine singer and school teacher in Lewiston, Me.
3. *Stephen B.*[8], b. about 1865, res. Brockton, Mass. Viora G. Lane was appointed his guardian, April, 1884.

II. SARAH SCOTT[7], b. 9 Apr., 1844, received John Gilmore as her guardian, Aug., 1855, m. FRANK SEWALL, had children and settled in Chicago, Ill.

126.

ELIPHALET G. LANE[6] (Peter[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), 1796–1854, was born in Leeds, Me., 28 Aug., 1796, m. 22 Aug., 1820, LYDIA S. TRASK, and d. 4 July, 1854; she d. 16 Oct., 1881. There were 22 grand children.

Children:

I. MARY F.[7], b. 24 Jan., 1821, m. 23 Feb., 1842, JOHN A. CHASE, and d. 26 May, 1849.

II. ALMIRA H.[7], b. 14 Feb., 1824, m. June, 1849, ETHAN ALLEN PHILBROOK, and d. in California, 4 Dec., 1863.

III. LYDIA S.[7], b. 18 Mar., 1826, m. 18 Aug., 1859, JOHN A. CHASE, and d. in Atchinson, Kan.

IV. LUCETTA V.[7], b. 18 Feb., 1829, m. 25 Mar., 1856, MOSES E. MILLETT.

V. ELIPHALET[7], b. 4 June, 1831, d. 1 Aug., 1861.

VI. EBEN F.[7], b. 25 Jan., 1835, m. 4 Sept., 1859, SUSAN P. SHAW, and d. in Minot, Me., Oct., 1869.

VII. FRANCIS B.[7], b. 21 Oct., 1838, m. 10 Sept., 1862, CLARA E. BACON.

127.

ISSACHER LANE[6] (Peter[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), 1798–1891, was b. in Leeds, Me., 2 May, 1798, m. 2 Apr., 1818, DORCAS LANE[6], (Giddings[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]); she b. 19 July, 1798, and d. 22 Nov., 1884. He was prominent in town affairs, represented Leeds in the Maine Legislature, 1837, and d. at East Livermore, Me., 24 Dec., 1891, in his 94th year. Will and petition for probate, Dec., 1891. John Turner was appointed executor, Feb., 1892, but refused to accept, Apr., 1892. Esther A. Berry was administratrix, June, 1892.

Children:

I. ROSALINDA[7], b. 9 Feb., 1821, d. 16 Mar., 1824.

II. ROSAMOND[7], b. 28 Mar., 1827, m. 20 Jan., 1848, DAVIS FRANCIS, had six children and d. 24 Oct., 1863.

162. III. ADONIRAM JUDSON[7], b. 18 July, 1830, m. ANN HASELTINE FOSS.

IV. ESTHER ANN[7], b. 13 Feb., 1839, m. 5 Apr., 1863, ELI U. BERRY, lived in Topsfield, Me., and had:

1. *Nettie A.*, b. 18 Jan., 1865, m. 8 Jan., 1890, *Willis M. Davis*, a Free Baptist minister.
2. *Frederick M.*, b. 20 Nov., 1872, d. 3 Dec., 1888.

128.

JOHN LANE[6] (Benjamin[5], Issacher[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), was born in Vinalhaven, Me., 19 Mar., 1796, and m. 6 Jan., 1820, REBECCA AREY; she b. 20 Aug., 1798. The Arey family was from Cape Cod, Massachusetts, and bought Arey's Harbor, Penobscot Bay, in 1770.

Six children:

I. PEGGY[7], b. 10 Dec., 1821, m. 15 Jan., 1840, ELISHA CARVER.

II. DEBORAH[7], b. 19 Apr., 1823, m. 19 Dec., 1843, JONATHAN CALDERWOOD, and d. 15 Feb., 1898.

III. HENRY C.[7], b. 23 Sept., 1825, m. 30 Nov., 1859, MARGARET SMITH; she b. 11 Apr., 1836, and d. 23 Feb., 1898. He d. 9 Mar., 1886. One child:

1. *Minnie D.*[8], b. 8 Oct., 1868, m. 13 Nov., 1888, *Leroy A. Coombs.*

163. IV. TIMOTHY[7], b. 3 Sept., 1827, m. AMANDA SMITH.

V. MARY ANN[7], b. 3 Dec., 1829, m. 12 May, 1849, EBEN CALDERWOOD.

VI. SABRA[7], b. 11 Nov., 1835, d. 19 Mar., 1840.

129.

JOSEPH LANE[6] (Benjamin[5], Issacher[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), 1800–1872, b. Vinalhaven, Me., 31 Aug., 1800, m. 26 Oct., 1820, ABIGAIL, dau. of Joseph AREY; she b. 20 Apr., 1800, and d. 10 Sept., 1875. Mr. Lane settled on the place now owned by Capt. Emery Smith. About 1834, he began furnishing outfits for fishing vessels, the first person to start this business in Vinalhaven. He d. 29 Jan., 1872.

Four children:

I. WILLIAM VINAL[7], b. 22 July, 1822, d. 22 Nov., 1846.

164. II. BENJAMIN[7], b. 6 May, 1826, m. MAHALA ROBERTS.

165. III. HIRAM VINAL[7], b. 9 Nov., 1829, m. SUSAN R. ROBERTS.

IV. REBECCA C.[7], b. 12 Mar., 1833, m. EDWIN LANE[7], (Timothy[6], Benjamin[5], Issacher[4], Samuel[3 2], James[1]).

130.

JAMES A. LANE[6] (Benjamin[5], Issacher[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), 1802–1873, b. Vinalhaven, Me., 4 Dec., 1802, m. 26 Jan., 1826, LYDIA SMITH, and d. 24 Oct., 1873.

Nine children:

I. ELEANOR[7], b. 3 Feb., 1827, m. first, 7 Jan., 1847, ISAAC JACOBS; m. second, 22 Dec., 1872, CALVIN SMITH.

II. ELIZA[7], b. 30 Nov., 1828, m. 16 Nov., 1854, GEORGE ROBERTS, and d. 25 Feb., 1899.

III. BETSIE[7], b. 25 Apr., 1830, m. first, Mar., 1850, BENJAMIN AREY; m. second, 16 Dec., 1877, JOSEPH BROWN.

166. IV. RODNEY[7], b. 18 Sept., 1831, m. LYDIA HIBBARD.

V. SUSAN[7], b. 2 Dec., 1832, m. 17 Nov., 1853, CALVIN SMITH, and d. 13 Feb., 1871.

VI. FRANKLIN[7], b. 9 Aug., 1834, d. at sea, 23 Oct., 1851.

VII. JOHN[7], b. 28 Mar., 1836, m. first, 7 Nov., 1868, FRANCES NORWOOD; m. second, 25 Nov., 1879, MARTHA CLARK.

VIII. HANNAH[7], b. 28 Feb., 1839, m. 13 Jan., 1872, FRED SNOW.

IX. GEORGE[7], b. 8 Aug., 1842, d. Aug., 1850.

131.

TIMOTHY LANE[6] (Benjamin[5], Issacher[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), 1805–1871, was born in Vinalhaven, Me., 1 Jan., 1805. He resided on Lane's Island and commenced curing fish and furnishing outfits about 1850. He carried on a large business and at one time was owner in from 20 to 25 vessels. He accumulated an ample property and in 1865 paid the largest tax ever assessed against any one person in town, amounting to $1,328.73. Besides this sum the firm of Timothy Lane & Sons paid $238.95.

Mr. Lane m. 25 Feb., 1830, REBECCA, dau. of William SMITH; she b. 30 Sept., 1806, and d. 5 Feb., 1888, æ. 81 years. He d. 12 June, 1871, æ. 66 years.

Six children:

167. I. WILLIAM SMITH[7], b. 23 Oct., 1830, m. MERCY DELANO.

168. II. EDWIN[7], b. 11 Sept., 1832, m. REBECCA LANE.

III. FRANCIS M.[7], b. 8 Sept., 1834, m. 2 Nov., 1856, SUSAN F. NORWOOD.

The weir at Lane's Island was built by John Rogers and F. M. Lane. Two children:

1. *Annie I.*[8], b. 20 Apr., 1859, m. 21 July, 1875, *John J. Alexander.*
2. *Payson S.*[8], b. 15 June, 1870, m. first, 10 June, 1890, *Ada Cluff;* she b. 26 May, 1870, and d. 14 Aug., 1894. He m. second, 26 Oct., 1898, *Katie Bernett;* she b. 20 Jan., 1875. One child:

1) Harold Francis[9], b. 9 Aug., 1891, d. 15 June, 1892.

IV. MARGARET[7], b. 5 Jan., 1837, d. 28 Dec., 1837.

V. MARGARET[7], b. 10 Apr., 1839, m. 10 Sept., 1855, ALVIN DOLHAM; he b. 10 Apr., 1839, d. 30 Nov., 1887.

VI. CHARLES[7], b. 4 Jan., 1845, d. 3 Sept., 1849.

132.

GEORGE LANE[7] (John[6], Nicholas[5], William[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), b. Ipswich, Mass., about 1813, resided in Essex, Mass., and Gloucester, Mass. He m. LUCINDA POLAND; she b. Essex, and d. Gloucester, 27 May, 1874, æ. 63 yrs., 5 ms., dau. of Josiah and Mehitable Poland. He was representative from Gloucester to Massachusetts General Court, 1833, town officer to 1845, deputy sheriff of Essex Co. for many years; survived his wife and d. in Gloucester, 7 Feb., 1893, æ. 80 yrs., 11 ms. Monument in Oak Grove Cemetery.

Children:

I. GEORGE ROSWELL[8], b. Essex, 24 May, 1831, mason by trade, m. 13 Sept., 1850, by Joshua P. Trask, Esq., MARY ANN STANWOOD, both of Gloucester; she b. about 1832, dau. of Nehemiah and Catherine Stanwood. He m. second, LARA L. ——.

Children born in Gloucester:

1. *George Roswell*, Jr.[9], b. 1 Dec., 1851, mason, m. 4 Jan., 1874, *Mary Elizabeth Lovekin* or *Lufkin;* she b. East Cambridge, Mass. Their children were:

1) Charles Wesley[10], b. 10 Dec., 1874, m. 9 July, 1896, by Rev. G. T. Raymond, Mary Fuller Thurston; she b. about 1875, dau. of James and Martha (Hook) Thurston. Child, Charles Wilson[11], b. 2 Mar., 1897.
2) Lizzie Brown[10], b. 3 Aug., 1876.
3) Samuel Roswell[10], b. 13 Feb., 1881.
4) George Roswell[10], b. 29 June, 1890.
5) Emma Frances[10], b. 28 Mar., 1893.

2. *Albert Foster*[9], b. 1 Apr., 1853, shoemaker, m. 5 Mar., 1872, by Rev. C. A. Merrill, *Adeline Winn*, both of Gloucester; she b. Rockland, Mass., about 1854, dau. of William A. and Sarah J. (Thurston) Winn. Their children were:

1) Albert F.[10], b. 12 Mar., 1873.
2) Ernest[10], b. 24 Nov., 1874.
3) Clifford Henry[10], b. 24 July, 1877.
4) Ernest R.[10], b. 12 Feb., 1881.

3. *Benjamin F.*[9], b. 19 Oct., 1856, d. 11 Aug., 1860.

By second marriage:

4. *Frank Ellsworth*[9], b. 19 Jan., 1867. Student at Boston University; m. two sisters. No children.

II. LUCINDA MARIA[8], b. about 1833, m. 28 Dec., 1853, by Rev. George F. Danforth, WILLIAM H. PARROTT; he b. about 1825, and d. 15 Nov., 1874, æ. 42 yrs., son of William and Lydia Parrott.

III. NANCY[8], b. about 1838, m. 22 Sept., 1858, by Rev. F. N. Peloubet, THADDEUS WHEELER; he mariner, b. Rockport, Mass., 1837, son of David and Mary Wheeler.

IV. EMELINE FRANCES[8], b. about 1841, m. 16 Apr., 1859, by Rev. Nathan A. Towle, PHILIP H. GOLDTHWAIT; he b. Gloucester, about 1837, son of Philip and Sarah Goldthwait.

V. HENRY ALBERT[8], b. 12 Nov., 1846, blacksmith, and policeman, m. 16 Sept., 1867, by Rev. Elmer H. Chapin, ADELIA F. EMERTON; she b. Gloucester, about 1848, dau. of Oliver S. and Sarah Emerton. Their children were:

1. *Cora Greenwood*[9], b. 2 Jan., 1868.
2. *Henry O.*[9], b. 24 July, 1869.
3. *Frederick*[9], b. 14 Sept., 1871.
4. *Alonzo S.*[9], b. 11 Aug., 1873.
5. *Lizzie W.*[9], b. 4 Apr., 1875, d. 4 Sept., 1875.
6. *Lizzie B. W.*[9], b. 15 Feb., 1876.

133.

EDMUND CLEAVES LANE[7] (Josiah[6.5.4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), 1804–1877, was b. in New Gloucester, Me., 23 Oct., 1804, a tanner and currier by trade. The tannery was in the field back of the house on Gooch's lane at Yarmouth Corner, Me. His name appears on Cumberland County Records in the transfer of real estate 18 times from 1831 to 1860, and he was in the Light Infantry at Yarmouth, 1835. He removed to Strattonville, Penn., in 1861, and d. there 10 Apr., 1877, æ. 73 years. He m. 13 Nov., 1828, MARY RING HUMPHREY; she b. North Yarmouth, Me., 1807, dau. of Asa and Betsey (Ring) Humphrey, and descendant of Miles Standish. She d. 19 Feb., 1883.

Children born in Yarmouth, Me.:

I. BETSEY JANE[8], b. 22 Jan., 1830, d. 21 Sept., 1847, unm.

II. SIDNEY HOWARD[8], b. 2 Sept., 1832, bought house lot No. 1 in Yarmouth, of Octavius A. Hill, for $500, Mar. 26, 1860; soldier in the Civil War, 25th Reg., Co. H, Maine Infantry; d. unm. 3 Oct., 1895.

III. JOSIAH[8], b. 12 Oct., 1834, d. 4 Sept., 1853.

IV. RACHEL WENTWORTH[8], b. 1 Feb., 1837, m. 11 Nov., 1863, EBEN HUTCHINSON, Esq., of Augusta, Me., a lawyer, res. Chelsea, Mass., and d. 9 Feb., 1880. Children born in Chelsea:

1. *Maud*, b. 10 Nov., 1867, m. 18 May, 1896, *Howard R. Babbitt*, a lumber dealer of South America. She d. in South America, 16 Sept., 1899.
2. *Eben*, Jr., b. 12 Nov., 1869, m. 25 Sept., 1894, *Jessie Whitaker* of Bradford, Vt., dau. of Mrs. Alfred Whitaker-Colburn; he a lawyer in Chelsea, Mass.

V. Prof. ASA LYMAN[8], b. 18 Feb., 1839, m. 6 Oct., 1864, MARY JOSEPHINE ROBINSON of Skowhegan, Me. Residence Reidsburg, Pa., Biddeford, Me., New London, N. H., Waterville, Me., a clergyman and teacher at Colby Classical Institute, Waterville, Me. Children:

1. *Ava Bertha*[9], b. Reidsburg, 3 July, 1865, teacher in Waterville.
2. *Mary Blanche*[9], b. Biddeford, 23 May, 1873, teacher in Waterville.

VI. MARY RING[8], b. 23 Jan., 1842, m. 15 June, 1875, JOTHAM E. MUNROE, as his second wife. Residence East Boston, Mass., sheriff in Boston Court. He d. 6 July, 1889. One child:

1. *Harold Lyman*, b. 28 Dec., 1881, d. 1 Oct., 1891.

169. VII. Rev. BENJAMIN HUMPHREY[8], b. 8 Mar., 1844, m. LIZZIE ASHTON BOSWELL, MINERVA W. DEXTER, JENNIE THEODATE MINER.

VIII. ABBIE ANNA[8], b. 20 Aug., 1846, m. 20 Aug., 1881, EBEN HUTCHINSON, Esq., as his second wife. Residence Chelsea, Mass., and South America. No children.

134.

SETH LANE[7] (Josiah[6,5,4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), 1813–1876, b. in New Gloucester, Me., 18 Mar., 1813, entered intention of m. 28 Nov., 1839, with HANNAH C. C. ROWE, lived at New Gloucester, and d. 24 Sept., 1876, æ. 63 years. She d. 30 Sept., 1876, æ. 65 years.

Children:

I. AUGUSTA R.[8], b. 27 Aug., 1845, d. 6 Mar., 1846, æ. 6 months.

II. EMILY A.[8], b. 14 Aug., 1846, m. first, 17 Feb., 1866, CHARLES GODING; m. second, —— ——; m. third, AUGUSTUS HASKELL, and lived in Upper Gloucester, Me., 1899. No children.

III. CHILD[8], d. 14 Oct., 1850, æ. 1 year.

IV. HARRIET T.[8], b. 24 Dec., 1852, d. 6 Mar., 1853, æ. 3 months.

V. CHILD[8], d. 3 Sept., 1853.

VI. LYDIA B.[8], b. 4 Mar., 1854, d. 18 Oct., 1855, æ. 1 1-2 years.

VII. MARY A.[8], b. 5 Sept., 1857, d. young.

135.

JOSEPH HICKS LANE[7] (Levi[6], Isaac[5], Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), was born 1807, on the homestead in East Gray, Me. He followed the sea thirteen years, becoming an able shipmaster, upon one memorable occasion the only one of fourteen persons saved from a wreck. He bought land in Gray, 1847; as

attorney for heirs of Levi Lane, late of North Yarmouth, Me., he sold to Ebenezer D. Lane of Yarmouth, gentleman, for $4,000.00, Apr. 17, 1850, nine undivided eleventh parts of the entire real estate of said Levi Lane, and also nine undivided elevenths of pew No. 53 on the lower floor of the First Parish meeting house in South Yarmouth.

Capt. Lane settled on a farm in North Yarmouth, in 1870. He was a Universalist in religious belief, and a Republican in politics. He d. 5 Sept., 1886, æ. 79 yrs., 6 ms., 3 ds. Mrs. Lane d. same year, æ. 79 years.

Children born in Gray:

170. I. AERIAL DEBLANCE[8], b. 13 Oct., 1834, m. ELIZABETH S. HAYES.

II. FRANCES E.[8], m. BEECHER TRUE of Yarmouth, Me.

171. III. ALVIN A.[8], m. ABBY PORTER.

172. IV. CHARLES M.[8], b. 4 Oct., 1845, m. FRANCES A. YOUNG.

V. LUCRETIA[8], m. JOHN P. CASWELL, and d. before 1892, æ. 33 years.

VI. CAROLINE M.[8], d. æ. 11 years.

136.

CHARLES FREDERICK HERRESHOFF[2], 1809–1888, was born in Providence, R. I., 26 July, 1809, and d. in Bristol, R. I., 8 Sept., 1888.

The emigrant Herreshoff[1] was from a prominent family of Dessau, Prussia, and came as a scientific engineer to Providence in the last century. He m. a daughter of John Brown of Providence, a steady patriot, who provided the boats that sailed down Narraganset Bay, on the night of June 9, 1772, and burned the British armed schooner "Gaspee," as she lay aground, and who belonged to the family of Hon. Nicholas Brown, who gave its name to Brown University. Mr. Herreshoff moved down the bay from Providence and settled among the trees on Popasquast point, opposite Bristol.

Charles Frederick Herreshoff[2], a fine attractive gentleman of the

sea, built his house in Bristol. He m. 15 May, 1833, JULIA ANN LEWIS; she b. in Boston, Mass., 20 Mar., 1811. Mrs. Herreshoff is living in Bristol, still, 1897, in a bright and cheerful old age.

A few yachtsmen and the people of Bristol know the Herreshoffs man from man; the numerous inlanders know only "the Herreshoffs," as a dim aggregation of genius that designs and builds extraordinary sailing craft. There are nine of the Herreshoffs, seven brothers and two sisters. Four of them are blind. Two of the brothers are connected with the yacht-building works founded in 1864. These two men have built up their business and made a name in a single generation. They come rightly by their love for the sea, but they did not inherit their reputation. The fame of the "Gloriana," the "Vamose," the "Defender," and the "Columbia," has fallen, curiously enough, upon an entire family. If the Herreshoffs are cut off from outside associations by their natural reserve, they cling together as a family in a remarkable degree.—*Ray Stannard Baker in Harper's Weekly, July, 1900.*

Children all born in Bristol:

I. JAMES BROWN[3], b. 18 Mar., 1834, eldest member of the family, experimental chemist, m. 14 May, 1875, JANE BROWN, and was living in Coronado, Cal., 1899. Their children:

1. *Jane Brown*[4], b. 13 July, 1876.
2. *James B.*[4], b. 18 Mar., 1878.
3. *Charles Frederick*[4], b. 28 May, 1880.
4. *William Stuart*[4], b. 21 Apr., 1883.
5. *Anna Frances*[4], b. 4 July, 1886.

II. CAROLINE LOUISA[3], b. 27 Feb., 1837, m. 16 Aug., 1866, E. STANTON CHESEBOROUGH of New York, who d. in Bristol, 22 Oct., 1875. She was living in Bristol in 1899. Child:

1. *Albert Stanton*, b. 11 Jan., 1868, is winning reputation as a designer in Bristol.

III. CHARLES FREDERICK, Jr.[3], b. 26 Feb., 1839, occupied the old homestead across the river. He m. first, 19 Mar., 1863, MARY POTTER, who d. 24 Mar., 1866; m. second, 3 Dec., 1868, ALICE ALMY of Tiverton, R. I. Child:

1. *Julia Ann*[4], b. 20 Aug., 1864.

IV. JOHN BROWN[3], b. 24 Apr., 1841, blind since 15 years of age. A tall, heavy built man, saying little and thinking much, he is presi-

dent of the yacht-building establishment, and with business genius has built up and managed the enterprise which has made the family famous. He m. first, 6 Oct., 1870, SARAH L. KILTON of Boston, divorced, 1891; m. second, 27 Apr., 1892, EUGENIA T. TUCKER of Providence. Child:

1. *Katherine Kilton*[4], b. 31 July, 1871, m. 29 Apr., 1896, *Lewis H. DeWolf*, and had:

1) Katherine Herreshoff, b. 19 Mar., 1897.

V. LEWIS[3], b. 3 Feb., 1844, blind from boyhood, has written for the reviews with success, and been greatly interested in the history of the Lane family.

VI. SALLY BROWN[3], b. 1 Dec., 1845, is blind. Her correspondence has helped on the Lane genealogy.

VII. NATHANIEL GREEN[3], b. 18 Mar., 1848. A tall, serious youth who preferred to sail alone in his cat-yawl to any kind of company; graduated from the Boston School of Technology, then served an apprenticeship with the Corliss Steam Engine Works, and afterwards traveled extensively; a prodigiously hard worker, of scientific turn of mind, captain and designer of the famous cup defenders. As early as 1877, he built a new kind of a catamaran; now, stooping and gray, he is credited with new methods of scientific yacht-building.

Capt. Herreshoff m. 26 Dec., 1883, CLARA A. DEWOLF. She comes from the ancient Bristol family of DeWolf, of whom Capt. "Jim" DeWolf built the famous privateer "Yankee" in 1812. Their children:

1. *Agnes Mueller*[4], b. 19 Oct., 1884.
2. *Algernon Sydney*[4], b. 22 Nov., 1886.
3. *Nathaniel Green*[4], b. 5 Feb., 1888.
4. *Alexander Griswold*[4], b. 16 Apr., 1889.
5. *Lewis Francis*[4], b. 11 Nov., 1890.
6. *Clarence DeWolf*[4], b. 22 Feb., 1895.

VIII. JOHN BROWN FRANCIS[3], b. 7 Feb., 1850, an experimental chemist, residing in Brooklyn, N. Y. He m. first, 9 Feb., 1876, GRACE E. DYER of Providence, who d. 2 Dec., 1880; m. second, 25 Oct., 1882, EMILIE D. LEE of Philadelphia, Pa. Their children:

1. *Louisa Chamberlin*[4], b. 29 Nov., 1876.

2. *Francis Lee*[4], b. 2 Oct., 1885.
3. *Frederick*[4], b. 7 Mar., 1888.
4. *Sarah Lathrop*[4], b. 17 Oct., 1889.

IX. JULIAN LEWIS[3], b. 29 July, 1854, a blind musician and a teacher of languages in Providence. He m. 11 Sept., 1879, ELLEN FRANCES TAFT. Child:

1. *Grace*[4], b. 31 Mar., 1881.

137.

HENRY WHITE LANE[7] (John[6], David[5.4], John[3.2], James[1]), was b. in Lanesville, Gloucester, Mass., 1811. The Congregational church of Lanesville was organized in 1830. Henry W. Lane petitioned for the incorporation of the ecclesiastical society, May 4, 1864. George W. Lane and Charles H. Lane adopted the by-laws, May 11, 1864. Joseph Lane Andrews was the first clerk of the society and his son, Joseph H. Andrews, was clerk 1866 onward.

Henry W. Lane m. 1836, LOUISA SAUNDERS, both of Gloucester. She d. 7 Sept., 1878, æ. 63 yrs., 9 ms., 8 ds., dau. of Simeon and Sarah (Lane[5]) Saunders (Jonathan[4], Benjamin[3], John[2], James[1]).

Children:

I. HENRY LYMAN[8], d. 11 Oct., 1844, æ. 7 yrs., 3 ms.

II. REUBEN[8], d. 13 Oct., 1854, æ. 15 years.

III. JULIA[8], b. 25 Aug., 1843, m. DAVID LANE[8] (David[7.6.5.4], John[3.2], James[1]).

IV. MARY ELIZABETH[8], b. 10 Aug., 1845, m. 25 Aug., 1867, by Rev. Thomas Morong of Lanesville, JAMES M. TOWLE, stone cutter; he b. about 1832, in Maine, son of John and Mary Towle, his second marriage.

173. V. HENRY LYMAN[8], b. 6 Sept., 1847, m. ADA ALLEN.

VI. REBECCA[8].

VII. ELLEN M.[8], b. about 1844, m. THOMAS M. LANE[8] (David[7.6.5.4], John[3.2], James[1]).

174. VIII. LEVI SAUNDERS[8], b. about 1849, m. ELLA F. MERCHANT.

IX. ALZINA MARIA[8], b. about 1851, m. 23 Nov., 1871, by Rev. William H. Teal, MOSES H. COTTON, stone cutter, who was b. about 1846, son of Charles and Susan Cotton, and who d. 21 Oct., 1891.

X. ALMIRA M.[8], b. 5 Jan., 1852.

138.

DAVID LANE[7] (David[6.5.4], John[3.2], James[1]), 1814–1877, b. Lanesville, Mass., 10 Oct., 1814, fisherman, m. MARY P. ALLEN, dau. of ——— and Hannah (Floyd) Allen of Byfield, Mass. He d. of typhoid fever, 26 Sept., 1877, æ. 63 years; she d. paralysis, 31 May, 1896, æ. 79 yrs., 1 mo. Buried at Riverdale, Gloucester, Mass.

Children:

175. I. DAVID[8], b. 18 Nov., 1836, m. NANCY J. STANWOOD and JULIA LANE.

II. MARY TAYLOR[8], b. 14 Nov., 1838, m. 2 Jan., 1858, by Rev. H. R. Parmenter, TIMOTHY R. ELWELL, Jr., of Concord, N. H.; he b. about 1836, son of Timothy R. and Isabell Elwell.

III. JANE G.[8], b. about 1840, m. 19 Feb., 1860, by Rev. N. S. Spaulding, SAMUEL SYLVESTER, 3d; he stonecutter, b. Gloucester, about 1836, son of Samuel and Eliza Ann.

176. IV. THOMAS M.[8], b. 1 May, 1844, m. ELLEN LANE.

V. JOSEPH FLOYD[8], b. 13 Mar., 1846, painter, m. first, 18 Mar., 1870, by Rev. A. J. Hall, ELLEN M. HARTLEY; she b. Boston, Mass., about 1852, dau. of Daniel and Roxanna (Ray) Hartley. Married second, 31 Mar., 1884, by Rev. A. A. Mesler, MARTHA A. HODGKINS; she dressmaker, b. about 1846, dau. of Abraham D. and Judith (Figgies) Hodgkins.

VI. TABITHA M.[8], b. 4 Sept., 1850, m. 14 June, 1874, by Rev. William P. Blackman, HENRY A. NORWOOD; he b. Gloucester, about 1849, son of Henry and Mary A. (Tucker) Norwood.

VII. EMMA A.[8], b. about 1852, m. 14 Sept., 1869, by Rev. A. J. Hall, ANDREW TUCKER, Jr.; he fisherman, b. Gloucester, about 1850, son of Andrew and Susan H. (Jewett) Tucker.

VIII. EDWARD EVERETT[8], b. 21 Aug., 1857, painter, m. ANNIE A. HOWLETT. Son:

1. *Everett Thomas*[9], b. 13 July, 1892.

GEORGE E., b. about 1857, farmer, m. 25 Dec., 1878, by Rev. N. H. Martin, ELLA F. RIGGS; she b. about 1862, dau. of James and Almira (Stanwood) Riggs. Children:

1. *Lewis D.*, b. 6 Aug., 1879.
2. *Edith M.*, b. 21 Oct., 1886.

139.

JAMES MONROE LANE[7] (David[6,5,4], John[3,2], James[1]), 1819–1891, b. Annisquam, Mass., 22 Jan., 1819, mariner, ent. int. 30 Nov., was pub., 1 Dec., and m. 22 Dec., 1839, by Rev. George L. Leach, ELIZABETH HARVEY; she b. 1821, d. 1848. Mr. Lane ent. int. second, 24 Nov., 1852, with LUCRETIA R. HODGKINS of Annisquam, and d. 27 Jan., 1894, æ. 75 yrs., 4 ds. Children:

I. JAMES M., Jr.[8], b. about 1840, stone cutter, m. 27 Nov., 1864, by Rev. Thomas Morong of Ipswich, Mass., MEDORA L. GRIFFIN; she b. Gloucester about 1844, dau. of Moses L. and Elizabeth A. Butler. He d. 22 June, 1873, æ. 33 yrs., 4 ms., 9 ds., buried at Mount Adnah, Annisquam, removed to Beverly, Mass, 15 Sept., 1892. James M. and Medora (Griffin) Lane had:

1. *Gertie M.*[9], b. 24 Aug., 1873.

177. II. HARVEY[8], b. about 1843, m. JUDITH K. RIGGS and AMANDA M. STANWOOD.

III. CLIFFORD[8], b. 1845, d. 1846.

IV. ELIZABETH A.[8], b. 23 Nov., 1846, d. 2 Dec., 1847, æ. 1 yr., 5 ms.

By second marriage:

178. V. OSBORNE W.[8], b. 2 July, 1853, m. ABBY R. STANWOOD.

VI. GILBERT L.[8], b. 1 Mar., 1857, d. unm., 14 June, 1889, æ. 32 yrs., 1 mo., 12 ds.

VII. EVERETT[8], b. 15 July, 1858, d. 19 Aug., 1863, æ. 5 yrs., 1 mo., 4 ds.

VIII. ELIZABETH THANKFUL[8], b. 24 Sept., 1860, d. 8 Dec., 1860, æ. 2 ms., 15 ds.

IX. IDA MAY[8], b. 1 Aug., 1864, m. 27 Dec., 1888, by Rev. W. H. Rider, ALBERT R. COLE, tinsmith and plumber, of Gloucester; he b. about 1865, son of John M. and Charity (Phynard) Cole of Liverpool, N. S.

140.

JOHN LANE[7] (David[6.5.4], John[3.2], James[1]), was b. in Lanesville, Gloucester, Mass., 6 Dec., 1824, mariner, m. 18 Feb., 1849, by Rev. Ezekiel W. Coffin, MARY AUGUSTA FIGGIES; she b. about 1824, d. his widow, 2 Mar., 1884, æ. 60 yrs., 10 ms., 24 ds., dau. of William A. and Judith A Figgies of Gloucester.

Children:

I. ANNA ELIZA[8], d. 15 Apr., 1851, æ 1 yr., 5 ms.

II. JOHN WILLIAM[8], b. 30 Sept., 1851, m. SARAH A. MOORE. No children.

III. JENORA A.[8], b. 20 Oct., 1855.

IV. GENEVA[8], d. 3 June, 1856.

V. LILLIAN A.[8], b. 31 May, 1858, m. GEORGE M. KNOWLTON.

179. VI. FRANCIS EDWARD[8], b. 13 Mar., 1860, m. MARY F. DOWNEY.

141.

DAVID LANE[7] (Epes[6], David[5.4], John[3.2], James[1]), 1802–1848, b. Lanesville, Mass., 17 Dec., 1802, a successful sea captain to foreign ports, commanding the barque "Manto" for several years. Capt. Lane m. 24 Aug., 1826, HANNAH LANE[6], (Gideon[5.4],

Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]). He d. 9 Dec., 1848, æ. 45 years. Mrs. Lane was b. 18 Nov., 1803, and d. at Chelsea, Mass., 16 July, 1872, æ. 68 yrs., 7 ms., 28 ds.

Children:

I. ELLEN FRANCES[8], b. 16 Sept., 1827, m. at Gloucester, Mass., by Rev. A. D. Mayo, 30 Oct., 1849, GEORGE WASHINGTON EVERETT; he b. 28 Nov., 1819, son of Jonathan and Aphia Everett of New London, N. H., a soldier credited to New London, field and staff 9th regiment, N. H. volunteer infantry, mustered in to date Aug. 23, 1862, appointed major, Aug. 26, 1862, died with disease at Cincinnati, Ohio, Aug. 27, 1863, æ. 43 yrs., 9 ms., 1 dy. Mrs. Everett d. at Danvers, Mass., 16 Dec., 1888, æ. 61 yrs., 3 ms. Their children:

1. *Bertha Ada*, b. 4 Apr., 1851, d. at New London, 7 Oct., 1868, æ. 17 yrs., 6 ms., 1 dy.
2. *George W., Jr.*, b. 22 Nov., 1853, m. at Georgetown, Mass., *Fannie L. Hobson*, and had:

1) George Wilbur, b. 4 Sept., 1886.

3. *Mary Lane*, b. 30 Sept., 1855, m. at Gloucester, 23 July, 1881, *Daniel T. Mahony*, and d. at Rockport, Mass., 20 Sept., 1893, æ. 37 yrs., 11 ms., 20 ds. Their children:

1) Bertha Everett, b. 13 Mar., 1882.
2) Daniel Amos, b. 7 Jan., 1884.
3) George Everett, b. 31 Jan., 1885.
4) Ruth Ellen, b. 25 Nov., 1887.

4. *Ellen Frances*, b. 6 Apr., 1858, m. 27 Oct., 1892, *George Morris Peabody*, carpenter and builder, at Danvers, Mass. Their children:

1) George Morris, Jr., b. 18 Aug., 1893.
2) Charles Alden, b. 28 Sept., 1897.

5. *Jonathan Robert*, b. 6 Nov., 1861, m. at Rockport, Mass., 18 Nov., 1891, *Elizabeth J. Pettengill*. Their children:

1) Edward Robert, b. 21 Oct., 1892.
2) Ruth Levenia, b. 17 June, 1894.
3) Gilbert Frank, b. 16 July, 1897.

180. II. ALEXANDER[8], b. 24 Mar., 1830, m. FRANCES JANE BURPEE.

III. DAVID HORACE[8], b. 27 Nov., 1836, a jeweler of Lanesville, m. at Boston, 12 Dec., 1871, by Rev. A. A. Miner, MARIA LOWE LANE[7], (George[6-5], Andrew[4], Job[3], John[2], James[1]), of Rockport,

Mass. He d. 15 Aug., 1881, æ. 44 yrs., 8 ms. She d. 28 Mar., 1880, æ. 42 yrs.

"At Rest."

—*Mount Adnah Cemetery.*

Their children:

1. *Delia Sawyer*[9], b. 29 Oct., 1874, m. at Rockport, Mass., 15 Apr., 1899, *Charles Aubrey Benson.* Home at Park Avenue, Bridgewater, Mass.
2. *David Horace, Jr.*[9], b. July, 1877.
3. *Others*[9], died.

142.

EPES LANE[7] (Epes[6], David[5,4], John[3,2], James[1]), was b. Lanesville, Mass., 2 Oct., 1804, bap. 2 Apr., 1805, a celebrated fisherman and merchant at Lanesville, served two years as common councilman, Gloucester, a strong anti-slavery man and member of the Universalist society of Lanesville, at its organization, about 1876; m. 21 Dec., 1828, MARY ADALINE STORY; she b. Essex, Mass., and d. Pigeon Cove, Rockport, Mass., 20 June, 1892, æ. 83 yrs., 11 ms., 4 ds., dau. of James and Sally (Woodbury) Story. Mr. Lane d. 13 Apr., 1886, æ. 81 yrs., 7 ms., 11 ds. Buried at Locust Grove, Lanesville.

Children:

I. MARY ELLEN[8], unm., d. Chelsea, Mass., 13 Dec., 1856, æ. 31 years.

II. ALBERT L.[8], b. 1834, painter, original member of the Universalist parish, Lanesville, about 1876, correspondent of Gloucester Times, house 790 Washington street, Gloucester; m. 9 Jan., 1868, by Rev. J. J. Twiss, MARY AUGUSTA WOODBURY; she b. 1841, sister of Sylvanus C. Lane's wife. Their children:

1. *Marian*[9], b. 29 Apr., 1870, m. 12 June, 1894, by Rev. G. W. Penniman, *Eben Riggs*; he plumber, b. Gloucester, 1865, son of Eben M. and Sarah E. (Hooper) Riggs.
2. *Lillian*[9], b. 7 July, 1873.

III. JULIA B.[8], d. 13 Nov., 1852, æ. 14 yrs., 10 ms.

IV. EDITH[8], b. 1843, m. 1 June, 1870, by Rev. A. J. Weaver, CHARLES DENNISON, assistant wharfinger, Chelsea, Mass.; b. Friendship, Me., 1834, son of Edmund and Julia A. (Willey) Dennison.

Mrs. Dennison studied in the public schools of Gloucester, and graduated at the Salem Normal School in Feb., 1862, after which she was a successful teacher for half a dozen years in the Lanesville schools. She was a woman of culture and refinement, of a cheerful disposition and a natural tendency to look upon the bright side of life; patient under the chastening rod of pain and affliction, with a sympathizing and helpful spirit towards all who were in trouble or sorrow, and was greatly beloved by a wide circle of friends in Lanesville and Chelsea. She d. suddenly of hemorrhage, Jan., 1895, at Aiken, S. C., whither she went in Dec., 1894, to escape the rigors of a northern winter.

A brave bright memory! Her's the stainless shield;
No shame defaces and no envy mars!
When our far future's record is unveiled,
Her name will shine among its morning stars.

—*Charlotte A. Lane.*

Children:

1. *Edith.* 2. *Helen.* 3. *Charles.* 4. *Edward.*

V. ADELIA[8], b. 25 Sept., 1845, pub. 24 Dec., 1875, and m. by Rev. Gerald Fagan, JOHN F. LOUGHLIN, music teacher, b. 1841, son of Thomas and Bridget S. Loughlin. Children:

1. *Mary.* 2. *Sherwood.* 3. *Jerould.* 4. *Thomas A.*

VI. MARY AUGUSTA[8], b. 23 Mar., 1848, m. 21 Nov., 1870, by Rev. A. Sanderson, AUSTIN D. GRIFFIN; he carpenter, b. 1846, son of Tristram and Anne R. (Allen) Griffin of Gloucester. She m. second, GEORGE ROWLEY.

Children of Austin D. and Mary Augusta (Lane) Griffin:

1. *Daughter*, d. in infancy. 2. *Dana M.*, d. about 1895. 3. *Gertrude.*

VII. HELEN[8], m. Rev. ANDREW J. WEAVER. No children.

143.

JAMES SAWYER LANE[7] (Epes[6], David[4,5], John[3,2], James[1]), 1809–1883, b. Lanesville, Mass., 11 June, 1809, bap. 9 July, 1810, m. 6 Nov., 1831, SARAH POOLE of Rockland, Mass., dau. of Eben and Sally (Howe) Poole. He d. Charlestown, Mass., 25 Mar., 1883, æ. 73 yrs., 9 ms., 11 ds.

Children born in Rockport:

I. JAMES[8], b. 15 Sept., 1832.

II. SARAH ELIZABETH[8], b. 31 Jan., 1835.

III. ELIZA POOL[8], b. 20 Mar., 1837, unm., d. Charlestown, Mass., æ. 30 yrs., 10 ms., 28 ds.

IV. LORENZO[8], b. 31 Aug., 1839, d. 15 Sept., 1849.

V. ALBERT HARLEY[8], b. 15 Mar., 1842.

VI. HIRAM[8], b. 20 June, 1844, farmer.

VII. ADA ANNAH[8], b. 25 Mar., 1847.

VIII. ELLEN FRANCES[8], b. 28 Sept., 1849.

IX. EMMA[8].

144.

WILLIAM LANE[7] (Epes[6], David[5.4], John[3.2], James[1]), b. Lanesville, Mass., 18 Apr., 1813, mariner, m. MARGARET KNOWLTON, lived in Gloucester, Mass., and d. 28 Dec., 1877, æ. 64 yrs., 8 ms., 11 ds.

Children:

I. WILLIAM GORDON[8], farmer, m. ANNIE ——, and had:

1. *Helen M.*[9], b. 25 Jan., 1871.
2. *Mabel*[9], b. 15 July, 1873.

II. GEORGE WARREN[8].

III. MELVILLE[8], b. 14 Jan., 1850.

IV. SAMUEL[8], b. 26 Nov., 1853.

V. ARA E.[8], b. 26 Oct., 1856.

VI. MARY POTTER[8], b. 1857, m. 12 May, 1878, by Rev. E. B. Palmer, ARTHUR M. NORTON; he b. Essex, Mass., son of George and Lucinda Norton.

145.

AUGUSTUS LANE[7] (Epes[6], David[5.4], John[3.2], James[1]), born Lanesville, Mass., 31 May, 1817, m. ABIGAIL DODD, dau. of William and Abigail Dodd. He lived in Gloucester, Mass., was

one of the members of the Universalist parish of Lanesville at its organization about 1876, and d. 17 Mar., 1877, æ. 60 yrs., 1 mo., 18 ds. She d. 12 Nov., 1896, æ. 74 yrs., 9 ms.

Children:

I. ORLANDO B.[8], b. about 1839, mariner, m. 31 Aug., 1867, by Rev. W. F. Lacount, Mrs. SARAH E. (Hooper) RIGGS; she b. about 1840, dau. of Robert and Susan Hooper of Rockport, Mass. Their children:

1. *Son*[9], b. 6 Sept., 1871.
2. *Ida J.*[9], b. 1 Aug., 1876, d. 2 Oct., 1877, æ. 1 yr., 2 ms., 22 ds.
3. *James P.*[9], b. 6 May, 1881.

II. EDWARD A.[8], b. about 1842, carpenter, m. by Rev. W. F. Lacount, 13 Feb., 1869, HARRIET A. SAUNDERS; she b. about 1845, dau. of William and Hannah Saunders of Lanesville. Children:

1. *Gertrude*[9], b. 3 Jan., 1871.
2. *Herman E.*[9], b. 18 June, 1874.
3. *Willie A.*[9], b. 15 Nov., 1883.

III. OTIS[8], b. 10 Aug., 1852, carpenter, m. 16 Aug., 1876, HATTIE A. HODGDON; she b. Shrewsbury, Mass., 1852, dau. of William C. and Nancy D. (Thompson) Hodgdon. Their children:

1. *Son*[9], b. Gloucester, 17 Oct., 1876.
2. *Mattie A.*[9], b. 7 Dec., 1879.
3. *Willis P.*[9], b. 26 Mar., 1883, d. 24 Sept., 1883, æ. 5 ms., 28 ds.
4. *Alberta B.*[9], b. 18 Apr., 1884.
5. *Bertha*[9], b. 18 Feb., 1886.
6. *Augustus*[9], b. 13 Nov., 1887, d. 28 Feb., 1889, æ. 1 yr., 3 ms., 17 ds.
7. *Lillian A.*[9], d. 2 Dec., 1893.

IV. LUELEN[8], d. 4 Aug., 1858, æ. 3 ms., 13 ds.

146.

SYLVANUS COBB LANE[7] (Epes[6], David[5.4], John[3.2], James[1]), b. Lanesville, Gloucester, Mass., 23 July, 1834, seaman with Capt. Oliver G. Lane, m. 2 Dec., 1855, by Rev. Nathaniel Richardson, MARIE WOODBURY, a sister of Albert L. Lane's wife; she b. about 1832, dau. of Epes and Sarah Woodbury.

Children:

I. OLIVE G.[8], b. 2 Apr., 1857.

II. EDWARD FOREST[8], b. 3 Mar., 1859.

III. WARD HALE[8], b. about 1866, fisherman, was pub. 15, and m. 18 Sept., 1887, by Rev. James W. Higgins, MARY F. TUCKER; she b. about 1869, dau. of Frank and Nettie (Daggett) Tucker of Gloucester. Their children:

1. *Raymond H.*[9], b. 28 Feb., 1888.
2. *Lawrence Franklin*[9], b. 25 Apr., 1890.
3. *Mildred W.*[9], b. 10 May, 1897.

147.

CAPT. GEORGE EDWARD LANE[7] (Gideon[6.5], Joseph[4.3], John[2], James[1]), 1822–1891, was born in Boston, Mass., 19 Feb., 1822, removed with his parents to Annisquam, Gloucester, Mass., in childhood, 1826. He worked in the saw and grain mill at Goose creek, Riverdale, and drove a meal wagon from it in 1838 and 1839. Master mariner and merchant. Married first, in 1846, MARY ANN EVERETT; she b. 4 Oct., 1826, and d. Yokohama, Japan, 17 Nov., 1869, æ. 43 years, dau. of Jonathan and Aphia Everett of New London, N. H. He m. second, 28 Dec., 1875, by Rev. Richard Eddy, SOPHRONIA E. (Pulsifer) LANE, widow of Charles Augustus Lane[7], (Oliver G.[6], Gideon[5.4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]). Capt. Lane printed Reminiscences of Old Time Annisquam in 1889, and died 29 Mar., 1891, æ. 67 yrs., 1 mo., 10 ds.—*Monument in Mount Adnah.*

OBITUARY.

"Capt. George E. Lane died at his home on Leonard street, Sunday afternoon, aged about 69 years.

"The long vigil is ended, the nights of weariness and suffering are done; and, cold and still and at rest, he lies among all the beautiful tokens of a busy and happy home life. Released from the burdens of poor frail humanity, the promise of Easter fulfilled, a new life, brighter, happier and immortal, is his forevermore. What this loss means to the home left desolate, to wife and sisters and son, we cannot measure in its depth and fullness. But out of our sorrow for the friend and neighbor and citizen we can so illy spare, we offer our truest sympathy, to those who sit in the shadow of a great and bitter grief. Other pens can tell more truly the story of his busy, useful life. Though born

in Boston, this was his home from early childhood, and here he came at the close of his active outside life to spend his remaining years. He was a successful and enterprising navigator, and rose rapidly in his profession. He commanded some very fine clipper ships and the steamships of the Pacific Mail Service, running between San Francisco and Yokohama. In every place he was the same high-toned, humane and Christian gentleman that we knew him to be in his later life. He had the welfare of his nation on his heart, and no good word or work found him wanting. Funeral services will be held at his late home either Wednesday or Thursday."—*Cape Ann Breeze, Tuesday, March 31, 1891.*

Child:

I. GEORGE EVERETT[8], b. Annisquam, 7 Sept., 1847, m. first, MAGGIE HAMILTON of San Francisco, Cal. They separated and she m. Sir Sidney Waterloo, ex-Lord-Mayor of London. He m. second, in Texas, 1875, LILLIAN L. SALADEE; she b. Columbus, Ohio, dau. of an officer in the regular army. They lived in Texas and Colorado, and had:

1. *Ernest*[9], b. Marlin, Texas, 21 July, 1876.
2. *Arthur*[9], b. 7 Sept., 1878.

148.

FREDERIC FOOME LANE[7] (Oliver G.[6], Gideon [5-4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1829–1892, b. Annisquam, Mass., 25 Sept., 1829, res. Beach, Whatcom Co., Wash.; m. 1867, NELLIE LAKE, and d. 7 Jan., 1892.

Their children:

I. AUGUSTE[8], b. 11 Nov., 1868, m. HATTIE ———, and had:

1. *Bertha Ada*[9]. 2. *Edith*[9]. 3. *Nellie*[9]. 4. *Lucia*[9]. 5. *Son*[9], b. 1898, d. 1899.

II. ANNIE PHIPPEN[8], b. 14 Nov., 1871, m. 26 Nov., 1884, ALBERT BENDER, and had:

1. *Pennel*, b. 1885. 2. *Nelly*, b. 1889, d. 1891. 3. *Son*, b. about 1896.

III. OSCAR ERNEST[8], b. 3 Feb., 1874, m. 1889, SUSIE ———.

IV. NATHANIEL PHIPPEN[8], b. 4 Mar., 1876.

V. CHARLOTTE SIBLEY[8], b. 22 Mar., 1878.

VI. CONSTANCE[8], b. 9 Mar., 1880.

VII. FREDERIC[8], b. 3 Aug., 1882.

VIII. OLIVER GRIFFIN[8], b. 23 Dec., 1885, d. 3 Mar., 1895.

IX. HELEN[8], b. Apr., 1889.

X. CHARLES FRANCIS[8], b. about 1891.

149.

THOMAS RANDALL LANE[7] (Thomas B.[6], Peter[5], Gideon[4], Joseph[3], John[2], James[1]), 1823–1888, born 10 Oct., 1823, at the Lane homestead, Pleasant Hill, Freeport, Maine, was taxed for real and personal estate at Freeport, 1875, 1887. Capt. Thomas R. Lane and Miss MARY LOW CURTIS, both of Freeport, were m. by Albert W. Purinton, 21 Oct., 1845. He d. 17 June, 1888, æ. 64 years.

Children:

I. MARILLA C.[8], b. 9 Oct., 1846, d. 1852, æ. 6 years.

II. MARY B.[8], b. 22 Feb., 1851, d. 21 Jan., 1860, æ. 8 yrs., 11 ms.

III. GEORGE LAMB[8], b. 24 Apr., 1854, m., 1882, ELLA HANNAH RICHARDSON, was taxed for real and personal estate in Freeport, 1887, and had:

1. *Ethel May*[9], b. 14 Sept., 1884.
2. *Frank Richardson*[9], b. 22 May, 1889.
3. *Herbert Randall*[9], b. 11 July, 1891.

IV. SARAH CAROLINE[8], b. 14 Jan., 1856, m. WILLIAM CURTIS RINGROSE, and had:

1. *Etta May.*
2. *Harry Merton.*
3. *Thomas Randall Lane.*
4. *Guy.*

150.

PALFREY LANE[7] (Benjamin[6.5.4.3], John[2], James[1]), 1798–1843, was born in New Gloucester, Me., 30 Nov., 1798, m. 27

Mar., 1823, ANN G. SAMPSON, and d. Auburn, Me., 14 Jan., 1843, æ. 44 years.

Palfrey Lane of Danville, Me., bought of David Green, 39 4-5 acres of land, Lot 46, in Minot, Me., for $600.00, Jan. 2, 1839, and mortgaged the same to Edward Little, June 30, 1842.

Ann J. Lane, adm. of estate of Palfrey Lane, late of Auburn, sold at public auction part of Lot 46 to Edward Little of Danville, Me., Oct. 20, 1843. She d. at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Leonard Goss, in California, 18 Dec., 1876.

Children:

I. EDWIN A.[8], m. ELLEN B. ST. CLAIR, and resided 281 Cumberland street, Portland, Me. Their only child:

1. *Alvin B.*[9], m. *Ella A. Edgecomb.* No children.

II. DAUGHTER[8], d. in infancy.

III. HANNAH ABIGAIL[8], m. LEONARD GOSS. He was in the foundry business at Berkeley and Sacramento, Cal.

IV. FREDERICK HENRY[8], m. —— WILLEY. No children.

V. GEORGE WASHINGTON[8], m. twice; second, —— ELWELL. No children:

He had charge of the stables at Crawford, Fabyan, and White Mountain houses, and drove the first coach with eight horses from the Glen to top of Mount Washington in 1861. The whip lash he used on this sensational trip is in the custody of his nephew, Alvin B. Lane of Portland, Me.

151.

JACOB LANE[7] (Benjamin[6.5.4.3], John[2], James[1]), 1800–1882, b. 3 Apr., 1800, settled in Minot, Me. He was a tall, muscular man, standing six feet, three inches in his stocking feet, straight as an arrow, and challenging, up to past four score years of age, his sons and the young men of their generation to lay him on his back. He was at one time captain of a military company remarked for its good discipline and very fine appearance on "muster days." He

was many times urged to take but always declined town office. He was also a successful school teacher.

Jacob Lane bought land in Minot, of his father, Benjamin Lane, 30 acres of Lot 80, for $250.00, Feb. 21, 1828, and of Leonard Woodbury, 8 acres, 64 rods of Lot 78, for $45.00, Oct. 17, 1828. —*Cumb. Deeds.*

Capt. Jacob Lane m. in 1826, his cousin, ALICE MERROW of Minot; she b. 9 Oct., 1802, and d. 3 Jan., 1874, æ. 71 yrs., 2 ms., 24 ds. When Alice was seventeen years of age her mother died leaving eight children to this daughter's care. Capt. Lane d. 12 July, 1882, æ. 82 yrs., 3 ms., 9 ds.

Five children:

I. ALICE[8], b. 16 June, 1828, m. 27 Nov., 1851, JOHN POMEROY of Lewiston, Me. He was a volunteer in the 24th Maine regiment, and d. while going up the Mississippi river, 30 July, 1863, æ. 35 years, and was buried in Tennessee on Island No. 37. Two children:

1. *Walter A.*, b. 1 Aug., 1852, m. 25 Apr., 1882, *Hattie E. Linscott*, and d. 16 Oct., 1886, æ. 34 yrs., 2 ms., 15 ds. Daughter:

1) Marian H., b. 30 Oct., 1883.

2. *Letitia*, m. *James Graydon*, and lived in Woburn, Mass.

II. JACOB[8], b. 24 Oct., 1830, d. Auburn, Me., 21 Mar., 1898, æ. 67 yrs., 4 ms., 27 ds. He was never married.

III. SALLY D.[8], b. 27 Jan., 1834, m. 8 Oct., 1873, MARION A. BESSEY, and resided in South Paris, Me.

IV. SAMUEL M.[8], b. 3 July, 1835, proprietor of "Rogers' Cough Remedies"; m. 1 Aug., 1861, E. JENNIE BUTLER, and resided in Portland, Me. She d. 30 Apr., 1889, æ. 49 yrs., 2 ms., 18 ds. Five children:

1. *Addie B.*[9], b. 14 Aug., 1863, d. 3 Oct., 1863, æ. 7 weeks.
2. *Emma J.*[9], b. 9 Aug., 1864, d. 22 Aug., 1864, æ. 13 ds.
3. *Willie B.*[9], b. 22 Sept., 1865, was drowned 1 Aug., 1886, æ. 20 yrs., 10 ms., 9 ds.
4. *Stella Ina*[9], b. 13 Nov., 1867.
5. *Iola E.*[9], b. 27 June, 1873, a graduate of Gorham Normal School, m. 3 July, 1893, *Walter J. Gammon*, and had:

1) Jennie R., b. 18 Aug., 1894.
2) Avis Hazel, b. 7 July, 1897.

V. AUGUSTUS[8], b. about 1840, resided Auburn, Me.

152.

JOHN BARNARD LANE[7] (Benjamin[6.5.4.3], John[2], James[1]), 1803–1842, b. 17 Dec., 1803, m. OLIVE HAYWARD of Winthrop, Me., 15 Sept., 1831, and lived at Minot Corner, Me., trader and deputy sheriff. John B. Lane bought land with buildings thereon in Minot, of William Dale, Mar. 22, 1830, which estate he sold to Benjamin Lane for $250.00, Aug. 4, 1834, and which Benjamin Lane sold to Daniel B. Hawke for $200.00, May 11, 1838. Probably he had purchased the store of his father in 1836.—*Cumb. Co. Deeds.*

He d. 18 Nov., 1842, æ. 38 yrs., 11 ms., 11 ds.

The widow of John B. Lane m. second, in May, 1859, Jabez C. Woodman, an eminent lawyer of Portland, Me., who d. 8 Nov., 1869. She m. third, Rufus Brett of Farmington, Me., and d. 14 July, 1882, æ. about 70 years.

Children of John Barnard and Olive (Hayward) Lane:

I. GEORGE HAYWARD[8], b. Mar., 1835, was living in California, 1892, and d. 1894.

II. CHARLES M.[8], b. about 1839, d. Portland, Me., June, 1860, æ. about 21 years, of consumption, immediately after a game of backgammon, in which he had beaten Jabez C. Woodman, Jr., Esq.

153.

RICHARD LANE[7] (Benjamin[6.5.4.3], John[2], James[1]), 1806–1884, was born in Minot, Me., the part now Auburn, 4 May, 1806, removed to Whitefield, N. H., in 1832, m. 2 Sept., 1833, HANNAH, dau. of Asa KING of Whitefield. With the exception of a few years in Carroll, N. H., he resided in Whitefield, and d. there 12 Oct., 1884, æ. 78 years. She d. 15 Apr., 1896.

Eleven children:

I. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN[8], b. 28 Apr., 1834, selectman, 1882, 1883, board of education, 1894, res. Whitefield, N. H.

II. ASA KING[8], b. 29 May, 1836, res. Brookfield, Wis., 1895.

III. ALBERT WINCH[8], b. 19 June, 1838, enlisted Sept. 21, 1864, for one year in Co. L, First Regt., N. H. Heavy Artillery, mustered in Oct. 4, 1864, was appointed corporal and mustered out June 15, 1865. P. O. address, Whitefield, N. H.

IV. RICHARD, Jr.[8], b. 11 Apr., 1840, enlisted in Co. L, First Regt., N. H. Vol. Heavy Artillery, Sept. 21, 1864, for one year, was mustered in Oct. 4, 1864, and credited to Whitefield, was appointed corporal May 4, 1865, and mustered out June 15, 1865, on Board of Education, 1897. P. O. address, Whitefield, N. H.

V. CAROLINE ADELAIDE[8], b. 19 Apr., 1842, d. 3 Mar., 1850, æ. 8 years.

VI. AUGUSTUS HENRY[8], b. 19 May, 1844, enlisted Aug. 22, 1862, at the age of 18 years, and was mustered in Sept. 23, 1862, with Co. E, 14th Regt., N. H. Volunteer Infantry, in the quota of Whitefield, was discharged disabled, Oct. 24, 1864, at Jefferson Barracks, Mo., and d. 17 Sept., 1866, æ. 22 years.

VII. HANNAH LEWELLA[8], b. 27 Aug., 1847, M. D., a physician in Snell Seminary, Oakland, Cal., 1895.

VIII. JOHN BARNARD[8], b. 24 July, 1851, grocer, Whitefield, m. Mrs. ANN ELIZA EASTMAN, a milliner, 1882 to 1897. He d. 6 Mar., 1895, æ. 44 years. No children.

IX. EDWARD AUSTIN[8], twin, b. 27 Nov., 1854, m. 24 May, 1882, ANNIE A. BARTER of Concord, N. H., is a lawyer and justice of the peace, and res. Pittsfield, N. H. No children.

X. CHARLES IRVINE[8], twin, b. 27 Nov., 1854, m. FRANCES K. ADAMS of Concord, N. H., and d. 13 Apr., 1883, æ. 28 years. No children.

XI. EFFIE JEAN[8], b. 10 Dec., 1856, m. JAMES EDEON NOYES of Tilton, N. H., and res. Whitefield and Pittsfield, N. H. Child:

1. *Kathryn.*

154.

BENJAMIN LANE, JR.[7] (Benjamin[6.5.4.3], John[2], James[1]), 1816–1895, was born in Minot, Me., 9 Apr., 1816, m. 1 Jan., 1844, LYDIA L. CURRIER of Mechanic Falls, Me., who d. 27 Aug., 1881,

æ. 61 yrs., 11 ms. He testified Dec. 24, 1844, that he was 28 years old and that his brother Richard was 38, and had moved to Whitefield, N. H., 12 years previous. He d. Auburn, Me., 10 Feb., 1895, æ. 79 years.

Children:

I. FRANK[8], res. Mechanic Falls, Me.

II. NATHAN D.[8], in Government Signal Service at Portland, Me., and in Texas.

III. ELMER[8].

IV. CHARLES[8], Mechanic Falls.

155.

JONATHAN SEWALL LANE[7] (Eliphalet[6.5], Benjamin[4.3], John[2], James[1]), 1805–1856, was b. in Bethel, Me., 1805, a clothier by trade and captain of the militia; m. first, 1830, SUSAN WILLIS, who was b. Bethel, 1814, and d. 1838, dau. of Jonas and Charlotte (Bartlett) Willis; m. second, in Whitefield, Me., ——; m. third, a sister of Barbour Lane's wife, (Eliphalet[6.5], Benjamin[4.3], John[2], James[1]), and d. Lewiston, Me., 10 Apr., 1856.

Children by first wife, born in Hanover, Me.:

I. JONAS WILLIS[8], b. 24 July, 1831, lived with his mother's people, m. 10 Apr., 1856, AVICE R. CROCKETT; she b. 22 Mar., 1837, dau. of Daniel H. and Rebecca (Bacon) Crockett of Woodstock, Me. They lived in Gorham, N. H. One son:

1. *Virgil W.*[9], b. 25 Jan., 1858, m. and lived in Gorham and Berlin, N. H., and had:

1) Arthur W.[10], b. Gorham, 22 Aug., 1883.
2) Rilla Avice[10], b. Berlin, 15 Nov., 1888.

II. MARY A.[8], b. 14 Feb., 1833, d. Hanover, 10 Apr., 1856.

III. AUGUSTUS K.[8], b. 14 Apr., 1834, m. 1861, ORIVILLE DAVIS, and had in Lewiston, Me.:

1. *Albert*[9]. 2. *Harry*[9]. 3. *Carrie*[9]. 4. *Gertie*[9].

IV. SUSAN M.[8], b. 5 Dec., 1836, m. Sept., 1851, ANTHONY BESSEE, lived in Manti, Utah, and had several children.

V. EDWIN R.[8], b. 4 Sept., 1838, m. 1862, THERESSA POWERS, lived in Newry, Me., and had:

1. *Daughter*[9].

By second wife:

VI. A. K.[8], lived at 53 Lowell street, Lewiston, Me.

By third wife:

VII. ALBERT S.[8], lived in Auburn, Me.

VIII. DAUGHTER[8], m. Rev. FREDERICK C. ROGERS, a Methodist clergyman stationed at South Paris, Bangor, Auburn and other places.

156.

HOWARD GARLAND LANE[7] (George[6.5], Andrew[4], Job[3], John[2], James[1]), was born in Rockport, Mass., 15 Dec., 1850, jeweler in Gloucester, Mass. He m. 27 Nov., 1873, by Rev. Richard Eddy, GRACE GREENWOOD POOL; she b. about 1856, dau. of Joshua and Azubah G. (Bray) Pool of Rockport, Mass.

Children born in Rockport:

I. GEORGE H.[8], d. 28 Feb., 1880, æ. 4 yrs., 9 ms., 2 ds.

II. CHESTER GARLAND[8], b. 15 Oct., 1881.

III. MABEL S.[8], b. 12 June, 1885.

157.

STEPHEN H. LANE[7] (Stephen[6.5], Samuel[4.3.2], James[1]), 1794–1885, b. Newburyport, Mass., 7 May, 1794, sailmaker, m. 3 July, 1826, HANNAH CENTRE; m. second, JUDITH D. POLAND of Gloucester, Mass., who d. his widow, 20 July, 1889, dau. of William and Judith D. Poland of Hamilton, Mass. He d. 21 Sept., 1885, æ. 92 years, the last Gloucester survivor of the war of 1812. Buried at Oak Grove.

Children:

I. WILLIAM HENRY[8], b. 24 Jan., 1830.

II. LOAMMI CENTER[8], b. 8 Jan., 1832.

III. ELIZABETH H.[8], b. 1 Mar., 1838, m. 1 Aug., 1855, by Rev. J. L. Hatch, JOHN BLATCHFORD, Jr.; he mariner, b. about 1829, son of John and Sarah Blatchford of Gloucester, Mass.

IV. GEORGE AUGUSTUS[8], b. 22 Jan., 1841, unm., d. 11 Aug., 1891, æ. 49 years. Buried at Oak Grove.

V. MARTHA[8], b. 23 Mar., 1843.

By second marriage:

VI. John J.[8], b. 26 Jan., 1849, d. 7 Sept., 1849, æ. 7 ms., 7 ds.

VII. SARAH A.[8], b. about 1852, m. 23 Mar., 1875, by Rev. F. B. Makepeace, WALTER D. HEATH of Sedgwick, Me.; he b. 1854, Bucksport, Me., son of John A. and Julia A (Snowman) Heath.

158.

EDWARD LANE[7] (Jonathan D.[6], Stephen[5], Samuel[4,3,2], James[1]), 1802–1870, b. 5, bap. 21 Nov., 1802, by Rev. John White, First Church, Gloucester, Mass., a sailmaker, purchased the old Whittemore estate and settled at 123 Washington street, Gloucester; m. first, BETSEY PULSIFER, who d. 14 Dec., 1843, æ. 36 yrs., 3 ms., 14 ds.; m. second, 25 Dec., 1844, by Rev. Maxy B. Newell, EUNICE NORWOOD, and d. 7 Feb., 1870, æ. 67 yrs., 3 ms. Buried at Oak Grove, Gloucester.

Children:

I. GEORGE PHINEAS[8], b. 17 Dec., 1828, d. 16 Jan., 1851, æ. 22 years.

II. SARAH ELIZABETH[8], b. 26 July, 1836, m. 11 Feb., 1865, by Rev. I. C. Thacher, GEORGE STEVENS; his second m., b. about 1828, son of George and Mary Stevens.

III. EDWARD HENRY[8], b. 20 Mar., 1839, paper hanger, m. 25 Nov., 1869, LOUISA A. WILSON; she b. about 1846, d. 9 July, 1871, æ. 24 yrs., 7 ms., 23 ds., dau. of John J. and Louisa J. (Tarr) Wilson. Their son:

1. *Frederick*[9], b. 3 June, 1871, a druggist on Washington street, Gloucester; m. 18 June, 1893, by Rev. George O. Crosby, *Florence M. Allen*; she b.

about 1874, dau. of Horatio M. and Eliza Jane (Stanwood) Allen. Their children:

1) Frederick Allen[10], b. 16 May, 1895.
2) Son[10], b. 20 June, 1896, d. 29 June, 1896.

IV. CHARLES FLETCHER[8], b. 2 Aug., 1842, carpenter, and city assessor, house, 118 Maplewood avenue, Gloucester; m. 5 Dec., 1865, by Rev. I. C. Thacher, NANCY O. SHERMAN; she b. about 1845, New Castle, Me. Their children:

1. *Charles E.*[9], b. 14 Sept., 1866, bookkeeper, m. 12 Sept., 1891, by Rev. George W. Mansfield, *Edith W. Morrow;* she b. Gloucester, about 1874, dau. of James T. and Catherine (Coffin) Morrow. They had:

1) Edith Charlotte[10], b. 18 Jan., 1892. 2) Charles M.[10], b. 12 May, 1893, d. 9 Aug., 1893. 3) Milton Edward[10], b. 21 Jan., 1895. 4) Charles Morrow[10], b. 12 May, 1897.

2. *Franklin S.*[9], b. about 1869, mason, m. 2 May, 1892, by Rev. W. H. Rider, *Mary A. Hodgkins;* she b. about 1873, dau. of Edward T. and Mary E. (Brown) Hodgkins.
3. *Newton S.*[9], b. 16 Mar., 1873.

V. AGNES HASKELL[8], d. æ. about 3 years.

By second marriage:

VI. AGNES HASKELL[8], b. 22 Oct., 1845, unm.

VII. FITZ HENRY[8], b. 19 Oct., 1848, carpenter, m. 4 Mar., 1891, by Rufus P. Hubbard, ROSE or RHODA ADA TUCK, m. n. Bowen; tailoress, b. about 1853, dau. of John D. and Isabel (Rogers) Bowen; had three children by first m., none by second marriage.

VIII. WILLIAM MARIEN[8], b. 19 June, 1850, mason, m. 16 Aug., 1882, by Rev. Robert P. Rogers, ELIZA HERRICK; she b. about 1859, dau. of Richard and Eldretta (Sargent) Herrick of Gloucester. Their children:

1. *Agnes M.*[9], b. 24 Apr., 1883.
2. *Mabel*[9], b. 7 Sept., 1888.
3. *Effie Florence*[9], b. 11 Mar., 1893.

159.

GEORGE B. LANE[7] (John[6], James[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), was b. in Leeds, Me., 16 Feb., 1833. He m. 1858,

VIOLA A. RAMSDELL, and lived in Leeds. Administrator of his father's estate, Dec., 1863.

Children:

I. JOHN[8], b. 5 Sept., 1859, m. Sept., 1882, EMMA B. FOSS, and d. in Stockton, Cal., 5 Sept., 1883. Their son:

1. *John F.*[9], b. Nov., 1883, was living with his mother in Stockton, 1896.

II. JUSTIN P.[8], b. 12 Dec., 1865, d. 16 Feb., 1885.

III. KITTIE[8], b. 27 Feb., 1875, m. 24 Mar., 1894, ERNEST A. RUSSELL, and had:

1. *Eula Lane*, b. 3 Feb., 1896.

160.

CYRUS BENSON LANE[7] (Giddings[6,5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]) was born in Leeds, Me., 6 June, 1838, and acquired a good common school education. In 1860, he was employed as assistant civil engineer on the extension of the Androscoggin railroad from Leeds via Lewiston to Brunswick. In 1863, in company with his father, Giddings Lane, he crossed the plains with an ox and mule team, and on his return engaged in farming. In 1868, he sold farm, stock and crops to his brother, G. W. Lane, and went to North Monmouth, Me., and engaged in trade, but repurchased the old farm and removed to Leeds in 1874. He became a member of Monmouth Lodge of F. and A. Masons in 1868, and a member of Winthrop R. A. Chapter in 1874; served his town as selectman 1888 to 1893, and was elected town treasurer in 1893, serving with credit to himself and satisfaction to his townsmen.

Mr. Lane m. 26 Jan., 1865, ALBINA LYDIA LOTHROP, dau. of Solomon L. and Hannah (Turner) Lothrop.

Their daughter:

I. CASSANDRA BENSON[8], b. 16 Oct., 1865, m. 26 Oct., 1888, CHESTER CARROLL FARMER, and had:

1. *Cyrus Wilson*, b. 3 Aug., 1889, d. 29 Nov., 1889.
2. *Chester Carroll, Jr.*, b. 9 May, 1891.
3. *William Leavitt*, b. 26 Apr., 1894, d. 15 June, 1894.
4. *Albina Lane*, b. 4 Aug., 1895.

161.

DANIEL G. LANE[7] (Calvin[6], Giddings[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), was born in Carroll, Me., 7 July, 1853, m. 13 Jan., 1876, ELLA F. HOOK of Lee, Me., and was proprietor of the Topsfield House, Topsfield, Me.

Children:

I. HARRY G.[8], b. in Lee, 17 Aug., 1878.

II. CARL C.[8], b. in Topsfield, 7 Dec., 1879.

III. VIO D.[8], b. 28 Jan., 1886.

IV. D. AUBREY[8], b. 26 May, 1888.

V. ORLAND H.[8], b. 22 Aug., 1891.

162.

ADONIRAM JUDSON[7] (Issacher[6], Peter[5], Daniel[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), was born in Leeds, Me., 18 July, 1830, resided Leeds Centre, m. 18 Sept., 1853, ANN HASELTINE FOSS; she b. in Leeds, 18 Aug., 1833, dau. of Walter Foss.

Seven children born in Leeds:

I. ADA ADELAIDE[8], b. 23 May, 1855, d. 8 Nov., 1873.

II. FREEMONT[8], b. 21 Jan., 1857, d. 30 June, 1863.

III. EDGAR WILLIE[8], b. 11 Aug., 1860, m. 31 May, 1892, ISABELLA PARSONS FOSS, dau. of Thomas Clarkson and Elizabeth L. (Cobb) Foss of Leeds. They had:

1. *Beatrice Marie*[9], b. 11 Nov., 1895.

IV. SARAH ELLEN[8], b. 28 May, 1864, m. 27 May, 1896, THOMAS HENRY NEVENS.

V. WINFIELD SCOTT[8], b. 13 Sept., 1865, m. 5 Oct., 1884, NELLIE JANE ALLEN, and had:

1. *Elmer Freemont*[9], b. 10 May, 1890.

VI. ALLICE[8], b. 4 July, 1873, d. 6 Sept., 1874.

VII. ISSACHER[8], b. 7 Sept., 1877.

163.

TIMOTHY LANE[7] (John[6], Benjamin[5], Issacher[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), 1827–1888, b. 3 Sept., 1827, m. 19 Feb., 1852, AMANDA SMITH; she b. 4 Oct., 1834. He d. 1 Feb., 1888.

Six children:

I. FREDONA E.[8], b. 3 Aug., 1852, m. first, 30 Apr., 1870, CHANEY HALL; m. second, 23 Nov., 1878, ALDEN C. COOPER.

II. BENJAMIN S.[8], b. 3 June, 1854, d. 31 Jan., 1870.

181. III. JOHN K.[8], b. 3 June, 1854, m. EMMA YOUNG.

IV. GEORGE F.[8], b. 4 Nov., 1856, d. 11 Oct., 1885.

V. MARY A.[8], b. 13 Aug., 1858, d. 11 May, 1883.

VI. ROSA A.[8], b. 9 July, 1860, d. 9 Oct., 1887.

164.

BENJAMIN LANE[7] (Joseph[6], Benjamin[5], Issacher[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), 1826–1887, b. 6 May, 1826, m. first, 1848, MAHALA ROBERTS; she b. 1 Jan., 1829, d. 12 Mar., 1870. He m. second, June, 1871, AMANDA PIERCE; she b. July, 1842, d. 2 May, 1897. He d. 23 July, 1887.

Five children:

I. WILLIAM V.[8], b. 4 Nov., 1849, photographer, Camden, Me., m. first, Mar., 1869, VIOLA CALDERWOOD; she b. 20 July, 1846, and d. 30 Aug., 1885. He m. second, 1886, ANNIE GRAY.

II. HIRAM L.[8], b. 17 Oct., 1856, m. 1881, DORA MONTGOMERY, who d. 1886. He d. 6 Feb., 1885. One child:

1. *Harold*[9], b. 17 Oct., 1882.

III. ADA[8], b. 17 Dec., 1859, d. 2 Nov., 1862.

IV. EVA MARIA[8], b. 27 July, 1862, m. June, 1886, GEORGE W. VINAL.

V. LUCY ELLEN[8], b. 11 Aug., 1866.

165.

HIRAM VINAL LANE[7] (Joseph[6], Benjamin[5], Issacher[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), 1829–1898, b. 9 Nov., 1829, m. 11 Nov., 1852, SUSAN R. ROBERTS; she b. 8 Jan., 1838. The Vinalhaven Fish Company was established in 1871. Mr. Lane entered the partnership and commenced business on Lane's Island. He d. 3 Jan., 1898.

Four children:

I. HATTIE GERTRUDE[8], b. 20 Feb., 1855, m. 30 Oct., 1878, W. FRANK PIERCE, and d. 14 May, 1879.

II. JOSEPH JAMES[8], b. 11 Oct., 1858, traveling agent teas and coffees, Waterville, Me., m. 15 Sept., 1880, ELLA BROWN; she b. Apr., 1856. Two children:

1. *Hattie Gertrude*[9], b. 2 May, 1883.
2. *Fred Walls*[9], b. 10 Nov., 1884.

III. LILLIAN MAY[8], b. 11 June, 1870, m. 1 Jan., 1891, THOMAS E. LIBBY of the Vinalhaven Fish Company.

IV. ALICE GURNEY[8], b. 9 Nov., 1872, music teacher, Vinalhaven. Miss Lane and her brother-in-law, Thomas E. Libby, have assisted in the history of the Lane family.

166.

RODNEY LANE[7] (James[6], Benjamin[5], Issacher[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), b. 18 Sept., 1831, a soldier in the Civil War, m. 8 Sept., 1861, LYDIA HIBBARD; she b. 29 Aug., 1841.

Eight children:

I. BELLADONA[8], b. 10 July, 1862, m. 5 Aug., 1880, U. B. DYER.

II. JAMES F.[8], b. 15 July, 1864, d. 1 July, 1884.

III. WILLIAM R.[8], b. 25 Oct., 1869.

IV. MARGARET E.[8], b. 19 Feb., 1871, m. 5 Nov., 1892, SAMUEL L. JONES.

V. EDWIN G.[8], b. 25 Apr., 1873, m. 30 Dec., 1893, ANNIE H. FARNHAM; she b. 26 Mar., 1876.

VI. ALBERT[8], b. 19 Dec., 1876.

VII. ADELBERT[8], b. 19 Dec., 1876, d. Nov., 1877.

VIII. IVON[8], b. 3 Feb., 1879, d. 19 Aug., 1884.

167.

WILLIAM SMITH LANE[7] (Timothy[6], Benjamin[5], Issacher[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), b. 23 Oct., 1830, m. 1 Dec., 1849, MERCY DELANO; she b. 16 June, 1832.

Nine children:

I. CHARLES F.[8], b. 16 June, 1850.

II. LUCINDA T.[8], b. 10 Nov., 1851, m. 14 Nov., 1868, E. R. GRAFFAM.

III. THEODOSIA S.[8], b. 26 Aug., 1853, m. Mar., 1880, W. W. FREEMAN, and d. 6 Sept., 1883.

IV. RACHEL A.[8], b. 4 Apr., 1857, m. 16 Sept., 1878, W. H. GOODWIN.

V. THOMAS B.[8], b. 16 Jan., 1859, m. 1 Oct., 1885, MAGGIE A. CALDERWOOD; she b. 8 Aug., 1864. One child:

1. *Leo W.*[9], b. 23 Aug., 1892.

VI. OSCAR C.[8], b. 25 Dec., 1860, m. 23 Sept., 1884, ABBIE G. FRYE; she b. 20 Dec., 1866.

VII. ALLIE H.[8], b. 23 Dec., 1862, m. 24 Nov., 1883, NELLIE M. CARVER; she b. 19 Mar., 1867. Two children:

1. *Vera*[9], b. 13 July, 1890.
2. *Fred*[9], b. 17 Apr., 1897.

VIII. CORA[8], b. 15 May, 1865, m. 29 Jan., 1886, JAMES E. CARLIN.

IX. CLARA E.[8], b. 5 Dec., 1868, m. 1 Jan., 1891, ALBERT E. PENDLETON.

168.

EDWIN LANE[7] (Timothy[6], Benjamin[5], Issacher[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), b. 11 Sept., 1832, m. 13 Dec., 1848, REBECCA C.

LANE[7] (Joseph[6], Benjamin[5], Issacher[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]); she b. 12 Mar., 1833. He commenced buying and curing fish for the Boston and Charlestown markets in 1878; is a member of Moses Webster Lodge of Masons.

Four children:

I. MARGARET ELLEN[8], b. 14 Nov., 1850, m. 1 Jan., 1869, THOMAS G. LIBBY.

II. LEROY H.[8], b. 1 Dec., 1854, m. 20 Oct., 1877, CARRIE E. HOWARD; she b. 6 Nov., 1854. One child:

1. *Leon H.*[9], b. 7 May, 1878, d. 5 Aug., 1879.

III. BENJAMIN L.[8], b. 27 Feb., 1858, m. 6 Sept., 1893, MABEL E. FREEMAN; she b. 31 Jan., 1866.

IV. GEORGE M.[8], b. 14 Apr., 1862.

169.

REV. BENJAMIN HUMPHREY LANE[8] (Edmund Cleaves[7], Josiah[6,5,4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), was born in Yarmouth, Me., 8 Mar., 1844. He enlisted Aug. 23, 1862, in Co. H, 149 Penn. Vols.; was engaged in nineteen battles with the Army of the Potomac, and was mustered out June 24, 1865. Graduated from Newton Theological Seminary, June 8, 1870; was ordained Sept. 14, 1870, at Bow, N. H.; settled at Bow and Newton, N. H., North Uxbridge and Worcester, Mass., at Valley Falls, R. I., and at Antrim, N. H. He. m. first, 19 Dec., 1877, LIZZIE ASHTON BOSWELL; she b. 22 Oct., 1857, dau of William Ward and Lucy Ann (Peabody) Boswell of Newton, N. H., and d. at Valley Falls, R. I., 26 Oct., 1885. He m. second, 29 Oct., 1889, MINERVA W. DEXTER; she b. 20 Dec., 1863, dau. of James C. and Frances (Barrows) Dexter of Lonsdale, R. I., and d. at Lonsdale, 3 July, 1896. He m. third, 20 June, 1899, JENNIE THEODATE MINER, M. D.; she b. 22 Dec., 1860, dau. of Elliot Earle and Abbie Cornelia (Howe) Cunningham of Worcester, Mass., and whose name appears in Lane Genealogies, Vol. I, p. 77.

Children by first marriage:

I. WILLIAM EDMUND[9], b. 9 June, 1881, at North Uxbridge, Mass.

II. ALICE BOSWELL[9], b. 24 June, 1883, at Worcester, Mass.

170.

AERIAL DEBLANCE LANE[8] (Joseph Hicks[7], Levi[6], Isaac[5], Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), was b. in East Gray, Me., 13 Oct., 1834, and received his name from a Frenchman who saved his father's life at sea. He was educated in the schools of his native town and at New Gloucester, Me. At the age of twenty he began to follow the sea, becoming second mate and later first mate of the barque "Meldon." He went to California in 1849, and engaged in mining. From California he went to Boise City, Idaho. After thirteen years spent in the West he settled, in 1873, as a farmer and dairyman on Brown's wharf road, near the original farm of James Lane[1], Yarmouth, Me. He m. 1872, ELIZABETH S. HAYES; she b. 2 Mar., 1841, dau. of David and Lydia (Parsons) Hayes of North Yarmouth. Mrs. Lane is a very hospitable lady. To her supervision must be largely credited the excellent quality of the butter product at the Lane dairy. Both are members of the First Congregational church in North Yarmouth.—*Cumb. County Worthies.*

Children:

I. JOSEPH HICKS[9], b. 5 Jan., 1874.

II. EBENEZER DAVIS[9], b. 26 May, 1876, student at Bowdoin College.

III. BEECHER TRUE[9], b. 6 Jan., 1878.

IV. FOREST DEBLANCE[9], b. 3 June, 1882.

171.

ALVIN A. LANE[8] (Joseph Hicks[7], Levi[6], Isaac[5], Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]) was a native of Gray, Me., dealer in boots

and shoes, 381 Congress street, Portland, Me.; m. ABBY PORTER.

Children:

I. URBAN D.[9]

II. CLARENCE H.[9]

III. MORTON M.[9]

172.

CHARLES M. LANE[8] (Joseph Hicks[7], Levi[6], Isaac[5], Josiah[4], James[3], John[2], James[1]), b. East Gray, Me., 4 Oct., 1845; at the age of twenty was employed as baggage master on the Grand Trunk railroad; m. 4 July, 1867, FRANCES A. YOUNG; she b. South Paris, Me., 15 Jan., 1847, dau. of George W. and Laura F. (Fields) Young of South Paris, Me. They settled on a farm of 100 acres which he purchased in Gray. Both are active members of the Methodist Episcopal church; he a Republican in politics and a member of the Grange in New Gloucester, Me.

Ten children:

I. FREDERICK F.[9], b. 25 May, 1868, m. ADDIE L. CALL, and res. South Boston.

II. EDGAR C.[9], b. 31 Mar., 1870, m. MARY S. MAYALL.

III. CARRIE L.[9], b. 18 Apr., 1872, d. 10 Sept., 1872.

IV. J. CASWELL[9], b. 29 July, 1873, traveling agent.

V. GEORGE T.[9], b. 31 Aug., 1875.

VI. LAURA A.[9], b. 1 Nov., 1878, d. 1 June, 1880.

VII. WINFIELD A.[9], b. 6 Aug., 1880.

VIII. LESTER E.[9], b. 27 Apr., 1882, d. 27 Sept., 1882.

IX. INFANT[9], b. 24 Feb., 1884, d. 5 Mar., 1884.

X. VERA E.[9], b. 30 Sept., 1885.

173.

HENRY LYMAN LANE[8] (Henry W.[7], John[6], David[5,4], John[3,2], James[1]), b. Lanesville, Mass., 6 Sept., 1847, m. 31 Oct., 1867, by

Rev. J. C. Smith, ADA ALLEN; she b. about 1849, dau. of Mark and Martha. He was a fisherman, house 774 Washington street, Gloucester, Mass.

Children:

I. CHESTER ALLEN[9], b. about 1868, clerk and butcher, Rockland, Mass., m. 26 Nov., 1885, by Rev. Charles M. Hall, LOUISA RIGGS; she b. about 1869, dau. of James and Eunice T. (Atwater) Riggs. Their children:

1. *Chester Leroy*[10], b. 5 June, 1886.
2. *Eunice J.*[10], b. 12 Mar., 1888, d. 17 June, 1888.
3. *Ada Mildred*[10], b. 16 Aug., 1894.
4. *Dana Clifford*[10], b. 13 Feb., 1897.

II. WILLIE COTTON[9], b. 13 Dec., 1872.

III. HARRY LEWIS[9], b. about 1874, butcher, m. by Rev. H. G. Buckingham, EDITH MARY BUTLER; she b. about 1870, dau. of Walter and Julia (Sargent) Butler of Gloucester. Their children:

1. *Olive*[10], b. 24 Mar., 1890.
2. *Esther Louisa*[10], b. 6 Oct., 1893.
3. *Harry Carlton*[10], b. 5 Sept., 1894.

IV. SIDNEY THURSTON[9], b. 6 Aug., 1875.

V. EUGENE GARDNER[9], b. 20 Oct., 1878.

VI. RALPH HENRY[9], b. 22 May, 1882.

VII. MARTHA LOUISA[9].

VIII. SON[9], died.

174.

LEVI SAUNDERS LANE[8] (Henry W.[7], John[6], David[5,4], John[3,2], James[1]), b. Lanesville, Mass., about 1849, m. at Riverdale, Gloucester, Mass., by Rev. A. J. Hall, 9 May, 1870, ELLA FLORENCE MERCHANT[6]; she b. about 1852, dau. of Jabez[5] and Beulah (Parsons) Merchant (Jabez[4,3], Daniel[2], Jabez[1]).

Children:

I. ELMER ELLSWORTH[9], moved to Lynn, Mass.

II. HERBERT MELVIN[9], b. 1 Sept., 1875.

III. JULIA HASTY[9], b. 20 Oct., 1877.

IV. OTHERS[9].

175.

DAVID LANE[8] (David[7.6.5.4], John[3.2], James[1]), b. Lanesville, Mass., 18 Nov., 1836, mariner and painter, lived on Gee avenue, Riverdale, Gloucester, Mass., m. first, 12 Oct., 1856, by Rev. Nathaniel Richardson, MARY J. STANWOOD; she b. about 1839, dau. of Henry and Rachel Stanwood of Gloucester. He m. second, 17 Mar., 1864, by Rev. S. Chapin, JULIA LANE[8] (Henry White[7], John[6], David[5.4], John[3.2], James[1]); she b. 25 Aug., 1843.

Children:

I. LIZZIE JANE[9], b. 21 Aug., 1857, m. 29 Oct., 1873, by Rev. William H. Teel, HENRY A. BARKER; he b. about 1852, Plymouth, Mass., son of George and Julia A. (Thayer) Barker, and lives in Bridgewater, Mass.

By second marriage:

II. HOWARD PRESCOTT[9], b. 25 June, 1865, farmer, m. 4 Oct., 1888, by Rev. F. C. Martin, KATHERINE G. KERR; she b. about 1870, dau. of Thomas and Margaret (Scott) Kerr of New Brunswick. Their children:

1. *Charles Howard*[10], b. 25 Apr., 1889.
2. *Bessie Frances*[10], b. 10 Jan., 1891.

III. HENRY WALLACE[9], b. 21 June, 1867, farmer, m. 12 Dec., 1888, by Rev. F. C. Martin, SARAH FRANCES BROWN; she b. about 1868, dau. of Edward A. and Almira (Stanwood) Brown, and had:

1. *Belle Olive*[10], b. 12 Dec., 1890.

IV. BERTHA[9], b. 30 July, 1871, d. 26 Feb., 1872, æ. 7 months.

V. ARTHUR L.[9], b. 25 Dec., 1879.

176.

THOMAS M. LANE[8] (David[7.6.5.4], John[3.2], James[1]), b. Lanesville, Mass., 1 May, 1844, pedler, res. Riverdale, Gloucester, Mass., m. 28 Apr., 1864, by Rev. Thomas Morong of Ipswich, ELLEN M. LANE[8] (Henry White[7], John[6], David[5.4], John[3.2], James[1]).

Children :

I. EDWARD EVERETT[9], b. 15 July, 1865, m. 10 June, 1891, by Rev. Andrew W. Baird, ANNE AGNES HOWLETT ; she b. about 1869, dau. of Henry W. and Johanna Howlett. Child :

1. *Everett Thomas*[10], b. 13 July, 1892.

II. NELLIE JANE[9], b. about 1867, m. 17 Sept., 1885, by Rev. Charles M. Hale, JOHN MORRIS ; he b. about 1865, son of Joseph D. and Mary Isabel Morris of Gloucester. Children :

1. *Eddie*. 2. *Hattie*. 3 and 4. *Two Children*, d.

III. HERMON[9], b. 16 May, 1871, m. 15 July, 1887, by Rev. George W. Cook, ANNIE W. COOK, dau. of Edmund and Lizzie M. (Day) Cook. Children :

1. *Alice Warner*[10], b. 9 Oct., 1887.
2. *Percey L.*[10], b. 6 Apr., 1889, d. 5 Aug., 1889, æ. 4 ms.
3. *Daughter*[10], b. 7 Apr., 1890.
4. *Ida May*[10], b. 21 Nov., 1892.
5. *Daughter*[10], b. 10 Sept., 1896.

IV. AUSTIN[9], b. 7 Mar., 1875, grocer, m. 8 Sept., 1897, by Rev. J. F. Mears, ANNIE M. TUCKER ; she b. Gloucester, about 1874, dau. of Henry and Irene (Butler) Tucker.

V. THOMAS NEWELL[9], b. 18 July, 1877.

VI. ROSCOE[9], b. 17 Nov., 1881, m.

177.

HARVEY LANE[8] (James M.[7], David[6.5.4], John[3.2], James[1]), b. Annisquam, Mass., about 1843, mariner, m. first, 14 Oct., 1862, by Rev. Robert P. Hogers, JUDITH K. RIGGS ; she b. Gloucester, Mass., 1846, dau. of James and Elmira Riggs, and d. 9 May, 1863, æ. 16 yrs., 8 ms. He m. second, 14 Aug., 1864, by Rev. S. Chapin, AMANDA M. STANWOOD ; she b. about 1845, dau. of Nehemiah and Catherine Stanwood. He d. 2 Mar., 1889, æ. 46 yrs., 2 ms., 15 ds. Buried at Mount Adnah, Annisquam.

Children :

I. ELIZABETH A.[9], b. 14 Aug., 1865, m. 22 Dec., 1887, by Rev.

F. C. Martin, CHARLES A. HODGKINS; he painter, b. about 1864, son of Isaac and Mary A. (Richardson) Hodgkins of Gloucester.

II. ANNIE M.[9], b. 29 Mar., 1871.

III. KATE E.[9], b. 27 Nov., 1874.

IV. GERTRUDE E.[9], b. about 1875, m. 6 Sept., 1894, by Rev. R. P. Hubbard, SOLON M. PINKHAM; he b. Wiscasset, Me., about 1868, son of Albert H. and Louisa (Rhines) Pinkham.

V. HARVEY M.[9], b. 24 Feb., 1877, d. 27 May, 1877, æ. 3 ms., 3 ds.

VI. WILLIE H.[9], b. 24 Sept., 1878.

VII. ADA M.[9], b. 18 Mar., 1880.

178.

OSBORNE W. LANE[8] (James M.[7], David[6.5.4], John[3.2], James[1]), b. Annisquam, Mass., 2 July, 1853, music composer, teacher and dealer, Gloucester, Mass.; m. 24 Feb., 1878, by Rev. Henry C. Leonard, ABBY R. STANWOOD; she b. Gloucester, about 1856, dau. of David W. and Susan R. (Allen) Stanwood.

Children:

I. HELEN M.[9], b. 18 Aug., 1878.

II. PERCY O.[9], b. 8 Oct., 1882.

III. ELLA P.[9], b. 29 Sept., 1886.

IV. SUSAN LUCRETIA[9], b. 10 May, 1889, d. 27 May, 1890, æ. 1 yr., 17 ds.

179.

FRANCIS EDWARD LANE[8] (John[7], David[6.5.4], John[3.2], James[1]), b. Lanesville, Mass., 13 Mar., 1860, sewing machine agent, Gloucester, Mass.; m. 9 Oct., 1882, by Rev. M. J. Boglan, MARY F. DOWNEY; she governess, b. Brookline, Mass., about 1860, dau. of Michael and Bridget (Shine) Downey.

Children:

I. JOHN J.[9], b. 21 Mar., 1884.

II. FRANCIS E.[9], b. 6 Sept., 1887.

III. LENA G.[9], b. 13 Aug., 1889, d. 31 Aug., 1895, æ. 6 yrs., 25 ds.

IV. FRANK E.[9], twin, b. 15 Nov., 1892, d. 10 July, 1894, æ. 1 yr., 8 ms., 24 ds.

V. FLORENCE M.[9], twin, b. 15 Nov., 1892, d. 10 Sept., 1895, æ. 2 yrs., 9 ms., 26 ds.

VI. LILLIAN AUGUSTA[9], b. 14 Nov., 1894.

180.

ALEXANDER LANE[8] (David[7], Epes[6], David[5,4], John[3,2], James[1]), b. Lanesville, Gloucester, Mass., 24 Mar., 1830, soldier Co. F, 11th regiment, New Hampshire volunteer infantry, credited to New London, N. H., enlisted Aug. 20, 1862, mustered in Aug. 29, 1862, as corporal, appointed sergeant, then first sergeant, wounded July 30, 1864, at the mine explosion, Petersburg, Va., mustered out, June 4, 1865. Post office address, New London, Penacook and Concord, N. H. He m. 19 Dec., 1850, FRANCES JANE BURPEE.

Children:

I. EMMA JANE[9], b. 19 Aug., 1852, m. 10 Sept., 1869, CHARLES CURTIS CHESLEY. Their children:

1. *Minnie Bell*, b. 24 Mar., 1870, d. 6 July, 1870.
2. *Edward Arthur*, b. 13 June, 1873, d. 31 July, 1873.
3. *Nellie Stearns*, b. 15 Feb., 1875.
4. *Millie Stewart*, b. 7 Nov., 1876.
6. *Charles Edward*, b. 4 July, 1880.
6. *Carl Cummings*, b. 29 June, 1890.

II. NELLIE ISABELL[9], b. 3 Aug., 1857, d. 6 Mar., 1860.

III. CHARLES WOODARD[9], b. 30 Sept., 1860, m. 18 Jan., 1888, FLORENCE BUNKER, who d. 18 July, 1894.

IV. MINNIE ISABEL[9], b. 13 Oct., 1862.

V. FRANK LINWOOD[9], b. 30 Nov., 1868, m. 1 May, 1896, WINNIE BAILEY, and had:

1. *Chester Linwood*[10], b. 5 May, 1898.

181.

JOHN K. LANE[8] (Timothy[7], John[6], Benjamin[5], Issacher[4], Samuel[3,2], James[1]), b. 3 June, 1854, m. 12 Sept., 1885, EMMA YOUNG; she b. 17 June, 1856.

Six children:

I. NORA[9], b. 19 Feb., 1886, d. 10 Nov., 1887.

II. LOTTIE[9], b. 6 Nov., 1887.

III. MERTIE[9], b. 21 Mar., 1889.

IV. NORA[9], b. 18 May, 1890.

V. JENNIE E.[9], b. 11 July, 1896, d. æ. 7 ms.

VI. VESTIE[9], b. 25 May, 1893.

PART IV.

Edward Lane of Boston, Mass.

1.

EDWARD LANE[1] was a brother of Job and James Lane, and an early resident of Malden, Mass., where he bought real estate of Robert Harding in 1651.

He had an interest with his brothers in their father, James Lane's estate, Rickmansworth, England, June 6, 1654. Like his brother Job, he visited England, returning to America in 1656.

"Passengers aboard the Speedwell of London, Eng., Robert Locke, Master, bound for New England: Edward Lane, aged 36 yrs., May 30, 1656."

He soon settled as a merchant in Boston, Mass.

"Subscriptions for the building of ye Town house, Boston, 1657, paid: Edward Lane pr'mise to pay by the hands of Lievt. Rich. Cook fiue pounds and tenn shillings, I say £5, 10s."

Edward Lane m. 11 Dec., 1657, HANNAH KEAYNE[3], dau. of Benjamin[2] and Anna (Dudley) Keayne. "Mr. Edwd Lane was maryed to Hannah Keayne, 11 : 10 : '57, By John Endecott Govr." —*Boston Record.*

Maj. BENJAMIN KEAYNE[2], only son of Capt. Robert Keayne[1], was admitted a member of the Boston Artillery Company in 1638, and a freeman of Massachusetts in 1639. He m. ANNA, dau. of Gov. Thomas and Dorothy DUDLEY, "an unhapppy and uncomfortable match." About 1645, he visited England, from which country he never returned. Mrs. Keayne was disciplined by the church for irregular conduct, Nov. 1646, and was excommunicated Oct., 1647. Their only daughter, Anna[3], was left to the care of her grandparents.

Capt. ROBERT KEAYNE[1] was the earliest settler on the south-western corner of State Street, Boston. He was by business a tailor, and fell under the censure of the court and church for selling his goods at exorbitant prices, as

compared with the regular, authorized rates. He was the first commander in 1637 of "the military company of Mass.," chartered in 1638, the oldest band of citizen soldiery in America, to which the name "Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company" was applied in 1720. Capt. Robert Keayne was deputy for Boston to the General Court, May 6, 1646. His lawsuit with warlike Mrs. Sherman, about the stray pig, occasioned in 1664 the permanent separation of the Massachusetts Legislature into two houses, each with a veto power upon the other. "There fell out a great business upon a very small occasion. John Winthrop."—*Beginnings of New England by John Fiske, pp. 106–108.*

"Capt. Robert Keayne died 23, 1 mo. '56,"—*Boston Records.*

"Captain Robert Keayne
First Commander of the
Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company
1838."
—*Tombstone, King's Chapel Burying Ground, Boston.*

He left large bequests to public uses, among which were legacies for the erection of a town hall where the old state house now stands, for the founding of an alms house and for building a granary; and he supplemented these legacies by other gifts. He further provided that his granddaughter Anna Keayne, "be disposed of for her future education unto some such wise and Godly mistress or family where she may have her carnal disposition most of all subdued and reformed by strict discipline; and also that they would show like care and assistance in seasonable time to provide some fit and Godly match proportionate to her estate and condition, that she may live comfortably and be fit to do good in her place, and not to suffer herself to be circumvented or to cast herself away upon some swaggering gentleman or other that will look more after enjoying what she hath than live in the fear of God and true love to her."

The will, dated at Boston, Dec. 28, 1653, names "my son, Major Benjamin Keayne, to be sole executor thereof," and Edward Lane to oversee its execution. "Last sheet of my Will, Page 36 or sides of paper, all of it, yea evy line & word in it being writen with my own hand & my name subscribed at the lower ende of evey page. ROBERT KEAYNE."

The 36 original pages of this will now occupy 158 folio pages of manuscript in the Suffolk Co. Probate Records.

Edward Lane as "overseer," named in the will of Capt. Robert Keayne, showed his care "to provide some fit and Godly match" for the grantee, by marrying her. But difficulties arose. The case between Edward Lane and Anna Keayne, the mother, was before the courts, May 26 and Oct. 18, 1659. He was discharged

from guardianship and Symon Bradstreet and Daniel —— were appointed in his place, Nov. 12, 1659.

Under the same date, Nov. 12, 1659, the Mass. Gen. Court, in consideration of Capt. Robert Keayne's liberal gifts to the country, granted to his widow and grandchild 500 acres of land apiece. The grant to Mrs. Anna Lane was laid out Oct. 16, 1660, and incorporated in the town of Amherst, N. H., Jan. 18, 1760.

"Laide out to Mrs. Anna Lane five hundred acres of land more or lesse in the wildernesse on the west of merrimacke River and about seven miles by estimation from merrimake at a place called by the Indians Quoquina-passkessanahnoy which is upon sowheaganocke River lying two hundred & eighty pole in length upon the River, about two hundred acres lyeth on the north side and three hundred acres on the south side, being bounded wth land laid out for Mr. Davis and Capt. Isacke Johnson on the east, wilderness land elsewhere surrounding the same, as by a plott taken of the same is more fully demonstrated by Jonathan Danforth, surveyor.

The Court doth Approve allow & Confirme this Returne."

—*Mass. Records, Vol. IV, Pt. I, pp. 369, 391, 443.*
—*N. H. State Papers, Vol. XXIV, pp. 10, 11.*

Letter. "To the Worshipfull Jno Winthrop, Esq., Governor, present at Hartford:

Mrs. Lane intreateth your worshipp to send her some advice & medicine for the cure of her joynts which are suposed to be a wind gout, with which she is much pained at times. She desires to present her servis to you & Mrs. Winthropp.

John Tinker from New London, 4th 2 mo: 1660, to John Winthrop, Jr., Governor at Hartford."

Edward Lane was credited to the estate of Robert Battie, Nov. 13, 1660. With Ann his wife he sold for £200, Dec. 7, 1663, and Feb. 13, 1663-4, an estate of 40 acres in Malden to Richard Dexter, the earliest American ancestor of that family. The courts reach a settlement in the case between Edward Lane and Mrs. Keayne, Oct. 10, 21, 1669.

Meanwhile Mr. Lane had died. He had occupied a high social position, was a man of wealth and business capacity and a strict Puritan. He was sorely tried and subject to many harsh imputations against his character in settling the large estate of Capt. Robert Keayne, but he was finally sustained and his conduct thoroughly vindicated.

"A Inventory of ye Estate of Mr. Edward Lane, Deceased, viz.:

Imprimis: Seven hundred pounds in ye hands of Ltt Richard Cooke & Mr. Jno Wiswall wch is in consideration of his whole estate purchased by them, as appears pr a Deede of Sale passed ye 14 Decbr, 1663, & is £700 00 00

Item: three hundred pounds more to be payd by ye Sds Mr. Wiswall & Lt Cooke in case Mr. Lane should see Cause to Disprove of soe much in Gifts to his friends or to pay his debts if need require 300 00 00

Item: his wearing apparell prized by Lt. Josh Fisher & Jno Moss at 5 6 1

To^l, £1005 6 1

Debts owing by ye deceased, viz.:

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to Funeral Charges and Physitian, . . .

£492 18 3

Presented in Court 2d May 1667."

The children of Edward and Anna (Keayne) Lane, were:

I. ANNA[2], "borne 5th of October, 1660, . . . deceased 27 June, 1661."

II. EDWARD, Jr.[2], "borne 20 Febr. 1661-2."—*Boston Record.*

Mrs. Anna (Keayne) Lane survived her husband many years and m. *second*, COL. NICHOLAS PAIGE.

Nicholas Paige came from Plymouth, England, to Boston as early as 1665. He was appointed captain of a troop in the expedition against Mt. Hope, June 27, 1675, was of the Artillery Company in 1693, and later its commander and colonel of the 2d Suffolk regiment of Foot.

"At a county court for Suffolk held at Boston, 29 Janur Ao 1683: The Executors within nominated of the last will of Capt. Robert Keayne, sometime of Boston decd, hereto annexed, being both dead, power of Admcn of ye Estate of sd Captn Keayne is granted unto Mr. Nicholas Paige and Anna his wife, granddaughter of sd Robert Keayne, to pursue the performance of his will in what remains to be done herein. They to give bond of one thousand pounds to execute the same, their own bond being accepted by ye Court is accordingly taken.

Attest, Jas Addington, Clrk."

—*Suffolk Co. Prob. Records.*

The joint will of Nicholas and Anna (Keayne) Lane-Paige was signed in 1703. Gov. Joseph Dudley heard of the death of his niece while sitting at the Council Board, June 30, 1704. "As the governour sat at the council table 'twas told him Madam Paige was dead. He drop^{d} his hands & quickly went out and returned not to the chamber again, but ordered Mr. Secretary to prorogue the courts till the 16th of August, which Mr. Secretary did by going into the House of Deputies."—*Diary of Samuel Sewall.*

We read this sad record concerning Anna (Keayne) Lane-Paige. "She poorly repaid the care and attention that had been given for her education and happiness, exhibiting in her character and conduct the traits of her mother."

Col. *Paige* d. at Rumney Marsh, now Chelsea, Mass., and was buried from Capt. Oliver's, 29, 6, 1717. He had no child.

2.

EDWARD LANE^{2} (Edward^{1}). The son of Edward Lane^{1}, after his mother's second marriage, probably changed his name to Edward Paige. This accounts for the form of the inscription in the Scottish chapel at Leyden, Holland, undoubtedly commemorative of him.

> "Here lieth buried Edward Paige,
> only son of Nicholas and Anna Paige,
> born at Boston in New England,
> Feb. 20, 1622, died in Leyden, Nov. 1,
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The date of birth should read 1662.

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